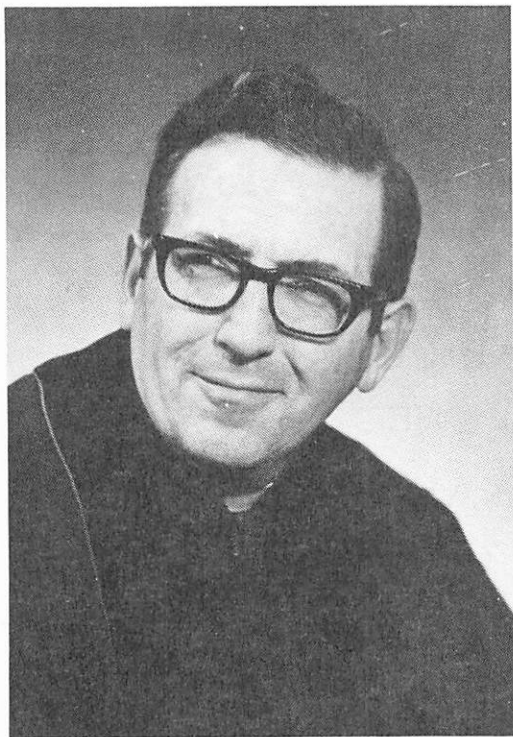


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II. THE MISSION SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT

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Bishop Jack M. Tuell, colleagues and friends, sisters and brothers of the United Methodist family of Alaska, we are just beginning the 36th session of the Annual Meeting of the Alaska Mission, the Sixth session of the Alaska Missionary Conference, and we have completed 73 years of organized mission work in Alaska. The report to the Annual Conference will be made in four parts: the superintendent; the coordinator of the Council on Min., Danita Trudeau, chairman of the Council on Finance and Administration, Barbara Shaffer, and the chairman of the Equitable Salaries Committee, Sally Lowery.

Significant Developments

1. The keys of the Maynard McDougall Memorial Hospital were turned over to the Norton Sound Health Corporation during a moving "changing of keys" ceremony at the hospital on the evening of March 31, 1977, completing 66 years of medical service to Nome and the Seward Peninsula. Mrs. Gretchen H. Srigley, our able and dedicated hospital administrator, closed this last chapter by saying, "And so 'Our Mission' was turned to the Native Corporation known as Norton Sound, with the challenge to continue the care for the medical needs of all people on the Seward Peninsula. With a great Amen and a whisper of 'Well Done My Good and Faithful Servants', Maynard McDougall Memorial Hospital became the Norton Sound Regional Hospital."

The Methodist Episcopal Church began its work on the Seward Peninsula in the village of Sinuk in 1906 with the opening of a Reindeer Mission under the auspices of the Woman's Home Missionary Society. By 1910, the Methodists were being urged to expand their ministry into Nome. Mr. W.F. Baldwin, who headed the work in Sinuk, reported: "Earnest efforts have been put forth by the Bureau of Education and by missionaries to induce the Eskimos to leave Nome, where temptations are many and conditions unfavorable for their uplift; hence no regular mission for natives has been established in Nome. But this year the hope of getting the Eskimos to remove from town has been abandoned. The Government officials, Christian men, want a Protestant mission opened, and as we have the only native mission in the vicinity of Nome, they look to us to enter this 'open door' and urge that we undertake it at once."

By 1911, the Lavinia Wallace Young Mission was established which is today the Nome Community Center. A small clinic for Eskimos was a part of the program that later became the Maynard-Columbus Hospital, which by April 15, 1949, became known as the Maynard McDougall Memorial Hospital as they moved into new quarters after complete destruction of the old building by fire on March 2, 1948.

The hospital and its dedicated personnel have been a tower of strength through the gold rush days and particularly the influenza epidemic of 1918 and the outbreak of diphtheria in 1925. By the mid-1960's, beds previously used for tuberculosis patients were opened up for nursing home-type care. In 1965, with the reorganization of the Board of Missions of the Methodist Church, the administration responsibility for the hospital was transferred to the National Division from the Women's Division of Christian Service.

During the years, 1968-1970, the hospital stood on the edge of bankruptcy. At this time, under the auspices of OEO, the Norton Health Corporation was established. As time went along, the two boards began to develop a close cooperation in providing health services to the community of Nome and the 15 villages of the Seward Peninsula.

By 1973, plans were underway to again replace the hospital with a new building, due to new state hospital standards. The estimated cost was \$6,600,000. Plans were submitted, only to be accepted at one stage and rejected at another. Costs escalated due both to general inflation and the upswing of building costs due to the building of the Alyeska Pipe Line from the North Slope to Valdez, so that by the summer of 1975, projection costs were 16 million, plus financing. A special appropriation from Congress was essential but was not forthcoming.

After long deliberation and in the light of mounting costs and the uncertainty of the commitment of federal funds, on September 11, 1975, the executive group of the National Division recommended to the Board of Directors of the hospital that contracts with the planners, architects and engineers be cancelled and the property be placed for sale.

In October, 1975, at the Annual Meeting in Atlantic City, N.J., the Women's Division voted to sell Maynard McDougall Memorial Hospital to the Norton Sound Health Corporation effective June 30, 1976. Further delays in securing the special appropriation from Congress deferred the date of purchase until March 31, 1977, thus ending the 66 year involvement of the United Methodist Women and their predecessors in the delivery of health services to the city of Nome and the Seward Peninsula.

Tentative plans are now to reinvest by the Women's Division, the \$200,000 sale price for the hospital, in building a new Teen Center under the direction of the Nome Community Center. The three homes used by the hospital personnel are now leased to the Nome Community Center for their use.

2. Congratulations are in order for Alaska Children's Services for their victorious '77 Fund Campaign on exceeding their goal of \$1,150,000. The funds raised will make possible a Jesse Lee Activity and Educational Building, three 10-bed residence treatment facilities for severely disturbed children and an endowment to help maintain existing ACS facilities.

3. The General Commission on Christian Outreach appointed a task force on church extension chaired by Bob Smay. The committee has met several times and has focused attention on the need to acquire land and develop a new church in the area of Campbell Lake, Anchorage, the Wasilla-Knik Arm, the capital sight at Willow, if the capital is moved, the greater Fairbanks area, and to explore through the Alaska Christian Conference the need for a church at Prudhoe Bay. The need for extensive church extension funds has been related to the National Division through the Committee on Consultation. The Committee recommends that the next Conference Finance Crusade, after the Pension Crusade, be for Church Extension.

The Fairbanks United Methodist Church has taken the initiative to study the need for a second United Methodist Church in Fairbanks. Their study led them to cooperate with the two United Presbyterian churches in the city, to start a union

church between the two denominations at North Pole. A joint committee of equal representation was appointed as a pastor-seeking committee. A year's budget has been underwritten from the local churches involved and Rev. Claude Klaver, a United Presbyterian pastor from Piper City, Illinois, has been called to start work July 1. This is the beginning of the third cooperative United Methodist-United Presbyterian Church in Alaska.

4. Alaska Methodist University plans to reopen this fall after being closed during the 1976-77 academic year for reassessment and reorganization. In early July 1976, Dr. Dennis Binning was hired as Chief Executive Officer of the University and has guided the University Board of Trustees through an extensive year of evaluation and planning. At a full Board of Trustees' meeting on March 10-12, 1977, the Board voted not to sell the campus to the State of Alaska and to reopen this fall with class offerings in five general subject areas: Management Sciences, Public Administration and Community Service, Education and Psychology, Natural Resources and Environmental Science, and Communication.

A.M.U. has been granted for 1977 an allocation of \$100,000 from the World Service allocation of \$500,000 called the "Three University College Fund" which helps Scarritt College, Nashville, Tennessee, and American University, Washington, D.C.

At the Annual Meeting of AMU's Board of Trustees on May 26, Dr. Glenn A. Olds, President and Professor of Philosophy of Kent State University since September 1971, was elected to be the fifth president of AMU, effective July 1, 1977. He was selected from a field of 52 candidates. He comes to us with a wide range of credentials. Not the least among them is that he is a United Methodist Minister and will come to his new assignment as a special appointment of Bishop Jack M. Tuell from the Oregon-Idaho Conference of which he has been a member in full connection since 1945. AMU and the Alaska Missionary Conference is indeed honored to have as co-workers in Alaska, Dr. Glenn E. Olds, and his wife, Dr. Eva B. Olds.

5. For some time we have anticipated the day when the Alaska Missionary Conference would have among its missionary pastoral appointments a clergy woman and a worker-priest. That day has arrived and we welcome two clergy couples: Lee and Lucretia Davis from the Virginia Conference, and Greg and Barbara Eicher, from the Kansas West Conference. We welcome back Mel Vosty, after completing service as our Alyeska Pipeline Chaplain last October 1st, and returning to Asbury School of Theology where he graduated May 19. He is now available for appointment as Worker-Priest at this conference by Bishop Jack M. Tuell. Ann Weld, member of the Turnagain United Methodist Church, has been recommended by the Turnagain Pastor-Parish Committee and the Charge Conference as a candidate for the ordained ministry, and she will now come before the Conference Committee on Ordained Ministry as our first woman applicant for the ordained ministry from Alaska. It is gratifying to have Priscilla Ringenburg, a Deaconess, as lab technician at Maynard McDougall Memorial Hospital, now the Norton Sound Regional Hospital.

6. John Shaffer is demonstrating what can be done with a volunteer youth worker program in the Aywaan Bering Sea Larger Parish. During the summer of 1976, Peter Simpson of Seattle joined the staff and sponsored several youth retreats. In September, Robert Metcalf of Lemoyne, PA became counselor for two youth groups, assistant coach for the high school basketball team and a school bus driver. Volunteer in Mission Steven Solonsky of Glen Rock, N.J. has served both in Gambell and Nome

in various forms of teaching and counselling. In late December, Susan Buckwalter of Reading, PA came for a two year stay. She is a R.N. on the staff at the hospital and is a vital force in the ministry of the church, both with children, youth and adults.

We are indeed appreciative of volunteer services of Loman and Enid Young from Indiana now working in Nome for both the Community Center and Church; Lee and Lucille Dale, "Carpenters for the Lord," as they give their third summer to work in Alaska; to Rev. Ed Zager, "Itinerant Man Friday," who is being released by his church in New Richmond, Wisconsin, to spend the summer in five Alaskan locations, and to the various work teams that came to Alaska last summer and those scheduled for this summer. Besides Augie's work team to Honduras, December-January, the First United Methodist Anchorage and Turnagain are taking a work team to Nome in July.

7. The Alaska Christian Conference held its third Biennial Assembly in Nome, January 20-24. Of these conferences, I felt this was the most significant and productive. Native participation was at a high level. We are all grateful for the splendid leadership of Mary Jane Landstrom as president this past biennium and the present.

One of the task forces under the Alaska Christian Conference has been the Pipe Line Chaplaincy. Back in 1970, under the former State Council of Churches, we started talking about the need for a chaplaincy program on the line. In July, 1974, Ray Dexter was hired as chief of chaplains funded by Alyeska Pipeline Service company. All other chaplains were funded by their respective denominations. Our United Methodist Chaplain, Melvin Vostry, started to work August 1, 1975 and terminated October 15, 1976, to complete his theological work at Asbury School of Theology. The entire chaplaincy program will terminate July 1, 1977. During the intervening years, thirty different chaplains have served on the line from thirteen different denominations. The newest assignment to the Pipeline Task Force is to explore the possibility of a state funded chaplaincy program at the state correctional institutions.

8. Late in December 1976, we received word from the National Division that our block grant budget had been reduced by \$10,000 from \$92,500 to \$82,500. We had already constructed our 1977 budget to reduce our asking by \$2500 in our endeavor to move toward self support. Thus, our real reduction over our 1976 budget became \$12,500. We were able to handle this reduction due to the splendid response of the non self-supporting churches in increasing their self support by \$12,796 which was \$7766 beyond our conservative budget estimate of \$5000. When our budget reduction became known, Homer circuit, St. John, and Ketchikan pledged a combined total of \$1500 new money. The balance of our reduction not covered, \$2401, will be taken from the duplex account.

In the years 1975-6-7, our ten non self-supporting churches have increased their salary support by \$31,846, an average of \$3,184.60 over the three year period. We have been able to reduce over this same period, our conference and National Division support \$10,877. The base salary has gone from \$7930 in 1975 to \$9200 in 1977. The social security payment has moved from \$371 to \$652.

Total salaries for all pastors made a marked jump of \$31,435 during 1976 over 1975 which was an average increase of \$1746.38. The increase for 1977 over 1976 is \$16,033 or an average of \$890.72. This figures out for a three year period of \$46,816 or an average of \$2637.10 or an average yearly increase of \$879.03.

During this same three year period, our ten non self-supporting churches' salaries increased \$20,761 or an average of \$2076.10 for the period or a yearly average of \$692.03. In contrast, our eight self-supporting churches increased salaries during the three year period, \$26,707 for a three year average of \$3,338.38 or yearly average of \$1,112.79 compared to the \$692.03 yearly average for non self-supporting churches.

In order to increase the non self-supporting salaries and start to narrow the fast-widening salary difference between self-supporting and non self-supporting church salaries, we instituted the salary sharing plan in 1976 to which the self-supporting churches contributed \$3831 to the salary budget. This increased in 1977 to \$6000 plus a voluntary contribution of \$1000 from Fairbanks, and the new figure for 1978 is \$10,000 from self-supporting churches. This figure must increase to continue to narrow the difference in salary.

In June of 1976, the Church of the New Covenant, Kenai, became self-supporting and in January 1977, East Anchorage and Jewel Lake became self-supporting, leaving seven churches to now attain this goal.

If all seven of our non self-supporting churches were able to become self-supporting during this year, we still would need to raise an additional \$46,112 this year to wipe out the National Division subsidy for such things as United Campus Ministry, Fairbanks, Pastors School, Council on Ministries, Annual Meeting, Superintendent Salary and related expenses, Mission Office operation, and Mission cars.

9. The Conference Board of Pensions has been organized during the year and elected Don Keil as chairman and Roger Thompson as secretary. The Board is presenting for conference action a resolution for the participation of the Alaska Missionary Conference in plan 1-A of the Minister's Reserve Pension Fund and the Local Pastor's Reserve Pension Fund. Our conference since January 1, 1952 has been participating in Plan 1-C (New Entrants) of the Minister's Reserve Pension Fund. The new plan will provide funding for past, current, and future service of the ministers serving the conference. The recommendation that will be before us is that the conference deposit January 1, 1978, \$80,000 toward the unfunded liability, from monies on hand and that the balance of \$117,575 unfunded liability be amortized over a 25 year period with level annual deposits being made by the end of each calendar year, as required by the current annuity rate established by the conference and by periodic actuarial valuation performed by the General Board of Pensions.

We are indeed fortunate that Dr. Frank L. Countryman, Executive Secretary of Finance and Field Service, has assigned Frederick Strathdee to work with our churches in underwriting each local budget as well as collectively, during the next two years, to help us meet or excel our goal of \$55,000 for pensions. Fred arrived in Alaska April 14 and has held a "set up meeting" in each of our churches. He reports an enthusiastic response on the part of our pastors and lay people for the big task ahead. Finance crusades will be held in our churches under Fred and Lorraine's leadership, September 15, 1977 - February 15, 1978. By January 1, 1981 we hope to have moved from a per service year pension of \$50 to at least \$100 or more. It can be done. We are on our way.

10. The 1976 General Conference set up two missional priorities that call for major Advance Special funding each year of the quadrennium, World Hunger, three

million, and Ethnic Minority Local Churches, three and a half million. No suggested goals have been received but I felt if our conference were to give significant support this year, suggested church goals would be helpful. Therefore, I suggested a Conference goal of \$2740 and divided it among our churches based on the grade point. Each of our churches accepted the challenge but receipts have been slow. I still have faith that by the end of the year, our churches will have more than exceeded the \$2740 goal.

This took place in 1976-77

The Mission received two new parsonage families as of last Conference: Arthur and LuDean Knight appointed to Kenai, and Revelle and Estelle Roach, appointed to serve Seward-Moose Pass-Cooper Landing. This conference year Mel Vostry left his Pipeline Chaplain assignment October 15, 1976, Robert and Beverly Bowers left Anchor Park United Methodist Church when Bob took a special appointment from the Wisconsin Conference to Alaska Children's Services, January 1, 1977. Ralph and Miriam Kleen came from retirement from the Oregon-Idaho Conference and have served with enthusiasm for the past six months at Anchor Park. We welcomed last fall Priscilla Ringenburg, a Deaconess, and she was assigned to Maynard McDougall Memorial Hospital as a lab technician. At conference this year, we are saying farewell to Richard and Donna Smith, August and Marie Aamodt, and Eugene and LaRae Groves. Eugene will remain in the Greater Anchorage Area working on an advanced degree in counseling, while Dick will take an appointment in the Oregon-Idaho Conference, and Augie, in the Northwest Texas Conference. Our best wishes go with each of them.

During September, Donna Smith's father and mother died, death taking place within a short time of each other. The Fairbanks Church was sensitive to the long illness of Donna's parents and made it possible for Donna and Dick to make several trips to Waverly, Ohio. Dee McNabb's mother, Ella Patrick, died May 31; she lived at Rose Villa, Portland, Oregon. There has been one birth in our parsonage homes this year: a daughter, Trina Kathleen, born to Bruce and Kathleen Bartel, October 23, 1976.

On Sunday, April 3, I had the privilege of consecrating the new connecting unit of the St. John Church, the St. Luke Room, in appreciation to Mr. Frederick Goff and Dr. Richard Gay, and to dedicate the multi-purpose building, St. Matthew Hall, with appreciation to Mr. Robert Smay and Rev. Benjamin Laird, and the education building, St. Mark Christian Building, with appreciation to Miss DeEtte Goff and Rev. Howard DeVore. On April 6, 1977, the Fairbanks First United Methodist Church voted to purchase the property at Second and Cowles Street, adjacent to the church property, described as Lots 1 and 3, Block 33, Fairbanks Townsite.

Personal Words

We are all appreciative of the sensitivity and strong leadership which Bishop and Mrs. Jack M. Tuell give to the Alaska Mission Conference. Our new Conference Lay Leader, Dr. Lawrence Bennett, has embarked on a program of visiting each of our local churches and to give encouragement to our churches as we start on our Pension Crusade. Danita Trudeau, as Council on Ministries Coordinator, instills direction,

insight, and enthusiasm for the Conference Program of which we all say "Thank You," and to Mary Thompson, our dedicated office secretary, for her gracious and systematic care of the Conference Office. Our Conference would not be the same without Ruby Lea DeBlasio, our Circuit Rider Book Store lady, who gives of her time and talent to provide the book display at conference.

Board of Global Ministries Budget Cut

At the April meeting of the Board of Global Ministries in Atlantic City, the 167 mission directors struggled with a 3% cut in World Service appropriations by the General Conference for the 1976-1980 quadrennium over last quadrennium of \$1,625,774 which was reallocated to other urgent causes. As a result, each of the seven units of the Board of Global Ministries will sustain substantial cuts, with the two large boards, World Division and National Division, receiving the largest since these boards have other sources of income, such as Advance Specials and Women's Division, to sustain their work. Just how the cut to the National Division will effect our conference budget for 1978 is not known. The budget in the pre-conference handbook does not take into consideration any possible cut. Your finance committee was aware that further cuts beyond this year's cut of \$10,000 could be in the offing but until they were notified and knew the extent, they have no recommendation to make.

It is now more than ever imperative that our conference move rapidly toward self-support. This can and will be done. Several of our churches have this as their goal for 1978 and others will be taking substantial steps in this direction. The other direction we must turn is to increase Advance Special giving. In 1975, Parish Partners USA, income for Alaska was \$62,561.30. In 1976 it was \$52,593.68, a 16% decrease. Part of this is due to some of our churches becoming self-supporting and it is difficult to get churches to reallocate to other Alaska projects. This quadrennium the Alaska Missionary Conference is authorized to receive a maximum each year of \$50,000. We must work out a more effective plan for self-supporting pastors as well as non self-supporting pastors and lay persons to generate Advance Special giving for Parish Partners, USA. Barbara Ward has put it well, "It is our imagination that has become our limiting factor, not our means and not our resources." With divine guidance, dedication, and imagination, we will see our way through whatever the year ahead holds.

COUNCIL ON MINISTRIES

To characterize a year is always difficult and perhaps a little dangerous, but in looking over the last three years during which I have worked as the Conference Council on Ministries coordinator, I have seen a tremendous maturing within the Alaska Missionary Conference. This year, the work of the Conference Council and of the program committees under its jurisdiction has come even further in that blossoming process. At last, I feel, we are beginning to take ourselves seriously. More and more we are sharing, across the entire conference, among both lay and clergy persons, the rights and responsibilities of being a missionary conference. That growth is not always comfortable, and we struggle with what this "coming of age" will mean. But at the same time, we see the miraculous resources God has provided in the people of the United Methodist Church in Alaska.

I. How many times we have pointed with pride to the vastness of our state! As our family used to fly outside from Nome, we took great joy in awing people with the fact that we were halfway to Detroit when we flew over Ketchikan! But in many ways, our pride is also our problem. We ARE a long way apart.

At last I think we are learning the importance of "keeping in touch". It was the feeling of the Conference last year, that in establishing our goals for the next four years, we needed to have input from the local congregations. Because of this, the C.C.O.M. devoted a good deal of time in gathering ideas from each local church. Once those ideas had been studied, the Council asked each congregation to prioritize the suggested goals. As a result, we are hopeful that the goals that are presented to this Annual Conference reflect concerns drawn from our communication with persons in the local church.

This year, too, several of our program areas have taken positive steps to draw us together. Max Cramer has published a regular missions newsletter which was mailed to local church chairpersons and pastors. Bill Trudeau has circulated a Round Robin letter among members of the Evangelism committee, as well as a newsletter to local chairpersons. Olive Robison has spent many hours, even going so far as writing personal notes and making phone calls to the local social concerns chairpersons and the members of her committee. Pat Wise edited a resource newsletter that was distributed to all local church school teachers. We hope that the C.O.M. in-conference newsletter proposed in Goal #7 in your P.C.H. will not replace this good work, but rather amplify it and at the same time make it easier. I think we are no longer using our distances as an excuse, but simply as a challenge.

II. I think we are beginning to take seriously our "people" resources. For the second year, we have had a stimulating Lay/Clergy Conference, thanks to the work and leadership of Larry Bennett. Meeting back-to-back with the Pastors and Spouses Retreat, some 63 participants were trained by Dr. Roy Fairchild in the use of "Lifestory Conversations" as an evangelism tool. The enthusiasm of both the laity and the clergy remains high.

Also, for the second year, we have worked to develop the skills of our local church officers. Help-shops for each of the work areas were offered in the Anchorage area with nearly 50 participating. In addition, the Council is attempting to find innovative methods of conducting regular training for local church officers beyond the Anchorage area.

This year we are realizing a long desired goal to take the youth resources of our conference seriously. In addition to the work camp to Honduras led by Augie Aamodt, we had 32 youth attending Southeast Convocation, 90 attending an Anchorage fall get together, and around 40 attending both a spring and fall retreat on the Kenai Peninsula. Especially exciting is the attendance at this conference of some 20 youth through the work of Art and perhaps especially LuDean Knight. We are delighted to have the youth with us, and we hope that this will be only the beginning of a conference wide youth organization.

This year's Pastors and Spouses Retreat, under the able and innovative direction of Olive Robison, sharpened the skills of the parsonage couples within the conference. It was voted that we create a committee for future retreats to allow more advanced planning. In addition, the need for continuing education possibilities for clergy here in Alaska was explored during the visit of Dr. Douglas Fitch and Dr. Doris Jones, of the Board of Higher Education and Ministry. Walt Hays and David Fison will be continuing to explore these possibilities.

III. We are beginning to take our structure within the conference seriously. Diagrams of structure seem sometimes like mundane things, but we have come to realize that only when we are clear on just where responsibility lies, can we expect people to accept that responsibility. The Council has spent a good deal of time studying the Disciplinary requirements and our own informal method of operation. We commend to you the diagram found on page 40 of the P.C.H. with several amendments which will be presented later.

At the direction of the 1976 annual conference, Dr. Melvin Moody of the Board of Discipleship was contacted, and visited both the Birchwood and Argetsinger Camps. As a result of his visit, the program area of the Birchwood Camp, under the direction of Pat Evans, has put together one of their strongest summer schedules. The Argetsinger Camp study resulted in the proposal found on pages 38 and 39 of the P.C.H. We look forward to much closer ties between our conference structure and our regional camps.

V. Finally, and I report this with pride, I think the Alaska Missionary Conference is beginning to take seriously its ability to help others. I would like to read to you from a news release sent out by Joe Walker, Director of the Advance Committee:

Alaska Missionary Conference Ranks Fourth in Giving to the Advance

Figured on a per capita basis only three other conferences gave more to the General Advance in 1976 than the Alaska Missionary Conference. Only Red Bird Missionary Conference, West Michigan, and California/Nevada had a larger per capita giving record than Alaska.

In 1970 Alaska ranked 67th among the 73 annual conferences in per capita giving to the Advance. In 1976 it had moved to fourth. In 1970, the Average member gave only 27 cents to the programs funded by the Advance. In 1976, this had increased to \$3.10 or 1,048%.

The largest increase was in giving to UMCOR...Participation in the ministries of the World Division have also shown good increase...only in giving to the National Division projects has Alaska failed to show a gain, having contributed nothing to National Division Advance projects in 1976.

Mr. Walker added, "This Conference which itself is a mission, has demonstrated real concern for the needs elsewhere in what it has done through World Division and UMCOR. We hope it will grasp the excitement of other national missions beyond itself, and lends its strength to them as well."

Our 1976 record is a challenge to continue and extend throughout the quadrennium. We realize that our own "health" can be measured by what we share. Only in giving can we receive.

In this conference we will continue to be caught in tension between the realities of our small numbers, and our great distances, and the tremendous needs which we seen in our maturing congregations, our developing state, and our shrinking world. The struggle to decide what we should devote ourselves to, and then offer all we have will not be easy. But through it all, in the words of Mary McCloud Bethune, God will grant us "not peace but glory!"

Danita Trudeau
Coordinator
Council on Ministries



Alaska Missionary Conference Delegates at Northern Lights United Church, Juneau.

III. DAILY PROCEEDINGS OF THE 1977 ANNUAL CONFERENCE

The Alaska Missionary Conference of the United Methodist Church convened in Juneau, Alaska, on June 9th for its sixth Annual Conference, representing the 73rd anniversary of organized Methodism in Alaska. Registration continued throughout the morning, together with the meeting of the Committee on Nomination, Reference and Counsel, and the lay briefing session.

A. Opening Session, Memorial and Communion Service

The conference was officially opened by Bishop Jack M. Tuell as he called the meeting to worship. John Wesley's tradition was kept when the conference sang "And Are We Yet Alive" as the opening hymn of the memorial service. The scripture, Hebrews 11:32-12:2 was read by the Conference Lay Leader, Larry Bennett, followed by the reading of those who joined the "Church Everlasting" by the conference secretary, Roger W. Thompson.

Bishops

F. Gerald Ensley
R.D. Joshi
Willis J. King
Clifford Northcott
John Subban

Bishop's Wives or Widows

Mrs. Robert Blackburn
Mrs. Willis King
Mrs. Titus Lowe

Alaska Churches

Quincy Benton, Anchorage, First
Margaret Jane Griffith, Anchorage - First
Henry E. Moore, Anchorage - First
Robert W. Prestwood, Anchorage - First
F.C. "Bud" Reardon, Turnagain
O.O. Gerbitz, Homer
Alice Ashenfelter, Seward Memorial
Emma Cameron, Seward Memorial
Mable Smith, Soldotna
Alice Attatayuk, Nome Community
Arthur Nagozruk, Jr., Nome Community
Lillian Howard, Nome Community
John White, Nome Community
Veda Hansen, Douglas Community
Beth Nordling, Northern Lights - Juneau
Eli Howard, Northern Lights - Juneau
Marion Krebs, First - Ketchikan

After singing the closing hymn, "For All the Saints," the conference concluded its memorial service with a prayer offered by the mission superintendent, Ac Wischmeier.

Following a brief organ interlude, the conference continued worship with the celebration of Holy Communion. The hymns sung were "Sing Praise to God," "Bread of the World," and "All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name." Bishop Crutchfield delivered the communion sermon, "The Sacrament of Strength," in which he emphasized the strength which Christians receive from the Holy Spirit as they celebrate the Lord's Supper. This resurrection power is not to be a joyful end in itself but the beginning of a reaching-out into the community, in service to others, to the glory of God. Experience leads to expression, bringing the victory.

After luncheon, served by the ladies of the church, Bishop Tuell called the conference to order with prayer. He then reminded the conference that their expression was solicited, to feel free to speak out. Rev. Ac Wischmeier moved that the bar of the conference be the first 9 pews on both sides of the aisle; it was seconded and carried. He announced that the courtesy committee would be composed of Natalie Brooks and John Shaffer and introduced the host pastors, John Tindell of Northern Light and Robert McNabb of Douglas Community.

Natalie Brooks and John Shaffer escorted Benjalee Crutchfield, Marji Tuell, and Irene Wischmeier forward and presented them with corsages. Bishop Tuell smilingly presented them with a kiss.

Bishop Tuell formally introduced Bishop Finis A. Crutchfield to the Alaska Missionary Conference, noting that he was elected to the office of bishop in 1972 and served the Louisiana Area for four years before becoming the Resident Bishop of the Houston Area, which he presently serves.

The Rev. Ralph Kleen and his wife Miriam were introduced by the Bishop as the interim pastor and wife at the Anchor Park Church, from January to June 1977, when Rev. Robert Bowers resigned to join the staff of Alaska Childrens Services. Also introduced were Rev. Arthur Knight and his wife, Lu Dean, who arrived after conference last year to serve our church in Kenai.

Rev. Ac Wischmeier reported that Rev. Augie Aamodt had procured a \$2000.00 grant from the National Youth Ministry to bring youth to annual conference from churches across the state. Deaconess Priscilla Ringenburg was introduced to the conference as the resident deaconess at the Norton Sound Regional Hospital in Nome. Other introductions of new members of the conference, with their sponsors, were made by the superintendent, as follows:

Dennis and Susan Holway, sponsored by Keith Wise

Mel Vostry, sponsored by Art and LuDean Knight

LeRoy Davis and Lucretia Davis, sponsored by Roger and Mary Thompson

Paul and Ardie Jewell, sponsored by John and Barbara Shaffer

Greg Eicher and Barbara Eicher were announced as new members of the conference who will be arriving after July 1, with Bruce and Kathy Bartel as their sponsors.

Introductions continued as the institutional representatives were presented: Rose Ann Timbers and Barbara Oleson from Nome Community Center; Jack Townshend and Rev. Paul Jewell, United Campus Ministries-Fairbanks; John Garvin and Gary Holthaus, Alaska Childrens Services.

Rev. Wischmeier brought greetings from the following: Mrs. Everett Palmer, Rev.

Meredith Groves and Rev. Tom Dahl. Bishop Tuell conveyed greetings from Rev. Gene Walters and Bishop Maynard Sparks. The secretary was requested to send greetings to the above named.

Bishop Tuell presented Ac Wischmeier with a check for \$86.88 from the United Methodist Publishing House for the pension fund for "worn out pastors." Rev. Wischmeier thanked the bishop and submitted the check to the mission office secretary, Mary Thompson.

With introductions and greetings concluded, Rev. Ac Wischmeier presented his superintendent's report on the work of the Alaska Missionary Conference for the year 1976-77. (See page 13.) Following a sincere expression of gratitude to Rev. Wischmeier by Bishop Tuell, Danita Trudeau presented the Council on Ministries report of program activities. (See page 20.)

B. Council on Finance and Administration

Barbara Shaffer, chairman of the Council on Finance and Administration, presented the printed and mimeographed reports of that commission. Questions and answers followed, focusing on the methods of determining apportionments.

Sally Lowery, chairman of the Equitable Salaries Committee, presented her report and distributed "Cost of Living" Index Comparison charts. Roger Thompson also presented a cost of living chart for Alaska Communities and one comparing Alaska prices with 23 cities in the lower 48.

Bishop Tuell made an award of "Ideal Mother," State of Alaska, to Grace Wilson, from the Alaska Mother's Commission. (Grace has served as chairman of hosting arrangements for our conference in Juneau-Douglas.)

Chaplain Col. Robert B. Howerton, Command Chaplain, U.S. Army, Alaska, and member of the North Arkansas Conference, was introduced to the conference by Supt. Wischmeier. Chap. Howerton briefly reported that there were presently 563 United Methodist chaplains on active duty with the services, plus 200 chaplains in various institutions.

C. Committee on Reference and Counsel

The Committee on Reference and Counsel report was given by Larry Bennett. He moved that the recommendation from the Council on Ministries page 37 of the Pre-Conference Handbook, be accepted. It was seconded and passed. He referred to the "Proposed Conference Structure Chart" (pg. 40, PCH) and moved that the Committee on Episcopacy and Superintendency be a separate committee of the annual conference. It was seconded and carried.

Bill Trudeau moved that the membership of the Committee on the Episcopacy and Superintendency be drawn from the Council on Ministries. Following questions and answers, the motion failed.

Jack Townshend moved that the United Campus Ministries be listed under Institutions as well as Higher Education. Seconded and carried.

Mr. Townshend further moved, which was seconded, that Evangelism be placed under Discipleship rather than Global Ministries. Motion failed.

Three additions were suggested to the Proposed Conference Structure: Family and The Church to be placed in the Church and Society "box;" Ethnic Minority Funding to be placed in the Global Ministries "box;" and Leadership Education to be placed in the Lay Activities and Temporal Economy "box." The Structure as amended and altered was approved.

Larry Bennett referred to the Rules of the Alaska Missionary Conference (pg. 11, sect. 5B, PCH) and moved: "In between general committee meetings, the Council on Ministries may appoint Task Forces and name Task Force chairpersons, subject to the approval of the appropriate general committees." After some discussion, his motion was lost, an amendment by John Shaffer lost, and the statement stands as printed in the Pre-Conference Handbook.

Observing the activity of the conference, Bishop Tuell announced that Home Missionaries, Deaconesses, and Ministers' Wives could sit within the bar of the conference and speak but not vote. Bill Trudeau raised the question as to whether the wives needed to be commissioned to sit within the bar of the conference. Bishop Tuell ruled that they did have to be commissioned.

Announcements: John Tindell requested (1) that the conference session adjourn by 5:30 p.m. to accomodate the women serving dinner; (2) that the Christian Social Responsibility Committee will meet in Room 5 and the Christian Nurture Committee will meet in Room 3.

The Conference adjourned at 3:55 p.m., with the announcement by Bishop Tuell that we would be meeting in the Douglas Church tomorrow.

Thursday evening, from 7-9 p.m., the Committees on Lay Activities and Temporal Economy and Christian Outreach met. At 9 p.m., a reception honoring Bishop and Mrs. Jack Tuell and Bishop and Mrs. Finis Crutchfield was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Sandor in Douglas.

Friday, June 10

The Alaska Missionary Conference convened at the Douglas Community United Methodist Church Friday morning with the pastor, Rev. Robert McNabb, leading the devotions. Bishop Finis Crutchfield, the conference preacher, spoke from Matthew 17:13-20, using as his text the words of Jesus, "I will build my church." Bishop Crutchfield observed that this was Jesus' promise and He never breaks a promise. He briefly surveyed the growth of the church from New Testament times to the present, noting that the greatest growth took place in the 19th century. "Where Truth and Love are present, there is the church" and this church will be a caring and healing fellowship, unrestricted, sustained by the Holy Spirit. The Holy Spirit is ready now for a revival—we are on the edge of a religious explosion and the church with a mission, with an unrestricted fellowship led by the Holy Spirit, will prosper.

The business session of the conference was called to order by Bishop Tuell and the bar of the conference was set to include the whole sanctuary. A letter of gratitude was read from Rev. Joe Walker, Director of the Department of the Advance, commending the Alaska Missionary Conference for its giving to the Advance program.

Dr. John Garvin reported on the activities and plans of the Alaska Childrens Services, of which our Jesse Lee Home is a part. He particularly emphasized the

successful finance drive for expansion and improvement which produced over one and one-quarter million dollars in gifts and pledges.

D. Christian Nurture

Keith Wise, chairman of the Christian Nurture section, presented his report from pages 20 and 21 of the Pre-Conference Handbook and moved its acceptance. It was seconded and carried. He presented the following changes in the text of the PCH which were seconded and carried:

- pg. 35, Goal #1, a, (1), (2), (3), carried as printed.
- pg. 36, Goal #4, c, carried as printed.
 - g, after "programs of," add "the local church and"
- pg. 37, Goal #7, a, carried as printed.
 - b, delete "triannual;" following "newsletter" add "three times a year."
- pg. 31, Education, following "church school attendance by" add "at least"
- pg. 31, Youth, 1. After A.M.C. add "will"
 - 2. "the conference youth council shall be appointed by mid-January, 1978, and that the youth council shall have met at least once by July, 1978."
- pg. 31, Communications, delete "general in nature."
- pg. 31, Board of Ministry, in third paragraph, delete "\$500" and add "\$603."
 - delete "Higher" and insert "Ministerial."
 - delete "\$500" and insert "balance."
 - change "1978" to "1979."
- pg. 31, Christian Nurture Committee appreciations, carried as printed.
- pgs. 38-39 Argetsinger Camp
 - pg. 38, in line beginning "Northern Light Church" change "is ready to receive" to "has agreed to consider."
 - pg. 39, last paragraph after "A.M.C.," add a period (.) and delete the rest of the sentence. In the next line, change "property lease" to "Use permit."

E. Argetsinger Camp

Rev. Robert McNabb presented the report on the Argetsinger Camp in the Juneau-Douglas area, reviewing its immediate past history, including its financial status, and its relationship to the Forest Service and the Division of National Missions. It was moved, seconded, and carried, that action on the recommendations regarding Argetsinger Camp be deferred until Saturday.

Rev. Wise moved, and it was seconded, that "We recommend to the National Division that the 'Wesley House' property which is used by the United Campus Ministry in Fairbanks be sold and that the proceeds of the sale remain in the Alaska Missionary Conference." Rev. Trudeau moved a conditional amendment which was seconded. After a lengthy discussion, the amendment was defeated and the original motion passed.

Rev. Wise moved that the A.M.C. shall make the first Sunday after the fall opening of AMU a Sunday of Thanksgiving, and that all the United Methodist churches in Alaska renew their support of AMU as a conference institution, with prayers and financial support. John Garvin moved the amendment that the A.M.C.

shall make the 4th Sunday in September a day of Thanksgiving for AMU. It was seconded and carried, and the whole recommendation as amended passed.

The Birchwood Camp report written by chairman Dale Davidson was distributed and the motion to accept was seconded and carried. Natalie Brooks spoke in behalf of Birchwood and John Shaffer reported on the camp in Nome.

The conference recessed for a coffee break.

With the singing of the hymn "I Love Thy Kingdom, Lord," the conference reconvened. Bishop Tuell called the attention of the conference to the historical display of the Alaska Mission prepared by Bea Shepard and Claudia Kelsey and graciously congratulated them. The conference gave them a hearty applause.

Marji Tuell announced that the Convocation of Music and Worship will be held in Santa Clara, California, July 17-23 and urged attendance.

F. Outreach

Bruce Bartel presented the Global Concerns report (Outreach) as found on page 32 of the PCH. He moved that #1 be accepted. It was seconded and carried. #2 was moved, altered, seconded and carried to read: "That local churches report our Mission Promotional Activities to the Global Concerns chairperson, Max Cramer, for printing and sharing with Chairpersons of Mission in local churches. Sharing gives ideas on *How to do it.*" #6 was incorporated into #3 and the altered statement then read: "That our local churches support some suggested projects as listed in World Division, National Division, and Alaska Missionary Conference. We further urge each local congregation to take on at least one advance special project. We should have a special concern for our priority in World Hunger, Evangelism, and Ethnic Minority ministries." #4 was passed with the addition of "as mandated under pg. 269 of the 1976 *Discipline.*" #5 was passed as printed in the PCH.

Rev. Bartel moved the acceptance of the reports on pages 25, 26, and 27 in the PCH as printed. It was seconded and carried. He further moved that Goals 1B and 1C of the Council on Ministries Report, p. 35 of the PCH be accepted as printed. It was seconded and carried.

The Evangelism report as appearing in the PCH on page 32 was withdrawn and the following offered as a substitute, which was seconded and carried, as changed:

1. The Conference ascertain specifically what each church would like to have available to it in evangelism planning resources and we ask that each local church consider its evangelism needs and make recommendation to the Evangelism Committee for resource development.
2. That the evangelism committee catalog and make known to congregations the major evangelistic programs that are available to local churches desiring them.
3. The Conference Council on Ministries plan some specific way for the conference to tie in to the national emphasis in Evangelism; training workshops, seminars, material, and resource distribution.
4. The Evangelism Committee check on the possibility of a conference consultant to local congregations in the area of Evangelism. Perhaps the General Board of Discipleship will provide assistance here in a similar manner to the special campaign for pensions. The Evangelism Committee contact the General Board of Discipleship to develop specifically such a proposal, to present to the next

session of the Alaska Missionary Conference.

5. The feasibility of "We Care" pastoral visitation teams to be reviewed by the Evangelism Committee and local churches be encouraged to free pastors to participate where such programs can be implemented under current budget guidelines.

Jack Townshend, asking for special privilege, urged individuals to call in the homes of prospective members in the name of the church.

Bruce Bartel moved that the Alaska Missionary Conference accept \$250.00 per year for the quadrennium for the Iliuliuk Family and Health Service Mission in Unalaska. After some discussion, the motion was withdrawn and to be given to the proper committee.

Rose Ann Timbers, Executive Director of the Nome Community Center, thanked the Board of Global Ministries for the two volunteers working at the center. She reported an active and strong program at the center, embracing youth to senior citizens.

Rev. Wischmeier introduced Rev. Robert Treat of the Lake Side United Methodist Church, Muskegon, Michigan, and recalled that he served the Douglas Church from 1944-49 and the Juneau Church, 1949-52. Rev. Treat spoke briefly and brought greetings from Bishop Edsel A. Ammons and the West Michigan Annual Conference.

Mr. Jack Townshend presented the report of the United Campus Ministries, noting that they had a relatively good program this past year. He announced, however, that they had terminated the services of the present director, the Rev. Everett P. Wenrick, and appointed a task force to formulate goals, purposes and plans before engaging another person. The report was received as given.

Rev. Trudeau distributed the Native Ministries report not found in the pre-conference handbook, commented on the same, and moved its acceptance. Carried.

G. Christian Social Responsibility

Olive Robison, reporting for the Status and Role of Women Committee, noted that Jean Stassel was the Alaska State president of the League of Women Voters and that Lucretia Davis had served as chairperson of the Commission on the Status and Role of Women of the Virginia Conference before coming to Alaska. Any persons interested in joining this committee should speak to these persons.

Mrs. Robison, reporting for the Committee on Church and Society (Christian Social Responsibility) moved that her report on pages 18 and 19 of the PCH be accepted. It was seconded and carried. She further moved that Goals #2 and #3, found on pages 35 and 36 be accepted. It was seconded and carried, with the assumption that the conference year was implied in the dates given in #3. Page 29, recommendation 1, a through g, were moved by Olive, seconded and carried.

The Brooks resolution, found on page 30 of the PCH, was moved, seconded, and carried with the understanding that Mr. William Brooks will attend to the communications.

It was further moved, seconded and carried, that Goals #2, #3, and #5 on page 32 of the PCH be accepted. William Trudeau moved the following addenda to #4: "To

commend the Chugiak United Methodist Church for its work in ministry to the Eagle River Correctional Facility, and endorse the efforts of the Alaska Christian Conference to study and make recommendations regarding criminal justice and a chaplaincy to state correctional institutions." #4 as amended was then moved, seconded, and carried.

Mrs. Robison then presented two resolutions not found in the pre-conference handbook and moved their acceptance. Rev. Trudeau moved to table, which was seconded and carried.

The conference adjourned for lunch. The ministers' wives were excused to attend their luncheon event which included an organ concert at the State Office building and a talk on early Juneau history by Carol Berry Davis.

Friday Afternoon

The afternoon session of the conference was convened by Bishop Tuell with the singing of the hymn, "Immortal, Invisible, God only Wise."

Olive Robison moved to reconsider the two resolutions that were previously tabled. It was seconded and carried. Julie Isaac spoke in favor of Resolution #2. It was moved, seconded and passed that the following resolutions be accepted:

(1) RESOLVED, that United Methodists in our communities express support for officers and magistrates who conscientiously enforce our state laws concerning the misuse of drugs and alcoholic beverages; further, that we voice our protests to the permitting of those convicted of driving while intoxicated to quickly resume driving on public highways.

(2) RESOLVED, that United Methodists use their voices and votes to influence state and local legislative bodies to enact closing hours not later than two a.m. for places selling alcoholic beverages.

Rev. Trudeau moved that the Alaska Missionary Conference commend Julie Isaac for her work in personal expression of Christian conscience regarding alcoholism and alcoholism education, and, in particular, regard to bar closing hours in Juneau and statewide. Her continuance and commitment to this area of human concern is a positive witness to other United Methodists of Alaska. It was seconded and carried.

Rev. Lee Davis moved that the secretary send a copy of Resolution #2 to the City Council of Juneau and the Alcohol Control Board. It was seconded and carried.

Mrs. Robison moved the following resolutions which were seconded. Discussion followed and an amendment by Rev. Fison failed. An amendment by John Garvin was moved, seconded and carried, and made a part of the final resolution as follows:

Whereas, violence against children is an especially serious problem in Alaska, and
Whereas, violence against women is also an especially serious problem in Alaska,
and Whereas, the rate of violence within the family appears to be much greater in
Alaska than elsewhere in the United States, and

Whereas, the urban homicide rate in Alaska is also greater than in cities of
comparable size in the lower 48, and

Whereas, such violence is symptomatic of a grave problem within our Alaskan
people and a reflection of indifference on the part of the larger society,

Therefore, let it be known that such violence is unacceptable to the people called

United Methodists in Alaska, and

The United Methodist Church in Alaska urges that studies be undertaken by an appropriate agency to determine the true extent of the problem, why violence occurs at such a rate, and to discover what may be effective means to curb violence, and that the results of such studies be disseminated widely to the Alaska public, and

In light of the above, be it resolved that Alaskan United Methodist Churches undertake to educate their congregations about the nature, degree, and causes of violence in our society, and collectively work to reduce violence in Alaska. First United Methodist Church of Anchorage and our other local United Methodist churches are to be commended for making their facilities available for community programs serving the victims of abuse.

Olive Robison presented a third group of resolutions regarding war and taxes. After much discussion and lost amendments, the resolutions were defeated on a count vote: 19 for and 24 against.

Bruce Bartel announced that he would move to reconsider and Bishop Tuell ruled that this would be in order.

H. Iliuliuk Mission

Bruce Bartel moved "that the Alaska Missionary Conference accept a Conference Advance special of \$1000 for the quadrennium (\$250) to undergird the ministry of the Iliuliuk Family and Health Services. John Garvin spoke to the motion, expanding on the work of the Iliuliuk mission and urged support. Motion seconded and carried.

It was moved, seconded, and carried that Goal #5 on page 35 of the PCH be accepted with the following changes: the date on "a" (2) to 1978 and "b," delete "a task force."

I. Church Extension

Under "Church Extension," Bruce Bartel moved "that the A.M.C. begin new work in the Bay Shore area toward the establishment of a new congregation." It was seconded. John Garvin moved to add to the motion "as resources become available." The amendment was seconded and carried. The original motion as amended was seconded and carried.

Rev. Bartel moved "That representation on the Church Extension Task include ex-officio representation with vote, the chairperson or designee of the following: Board of Ordained Ministry, Committee on Evangelism, and Council on Finance and Administration." It was seconded and carried.

Bruce Bartel again moved, "That the Alaska Missionary Conference Task Force on Church Extension determine annually those areas within Alaska for the establishing of new congregations and/or new forms of ministry. The Task Force will report its findings annually to the Conference through the general commission of Global Ministries. The report is to include suggested strategies for responding to each identified area of need.

J. Lay Activities and Temporal Economy

Jackie Oberg, presenting the Lay Activities and Temporal Economy report, moved

that the conference accept the recommendation of the Hospitalization and Medical Expense Program committee as found on page 33 of the PCH. Chairman Roger Thompson was asked to further explain the action and answer questions. The motion was seconded and carried.

The Lay Leader's report, found on page 33 of the PCH, was moved by Jackie Oberg, seconded, and carried.

K. Pensions

Mrs. Oberg, presenting the report of the Board of Pensions, moved the acceptance of the report on pages 33 and 34 of the PCH. It was seconded and carried. She then moved the acceptance of the "Resolution for the Participation of the Alaska Missionary Conference of the United Methodist Church in Plan 1-A of the Minister's Reserve Pension Fund and the Local Pastor's Reserve Pension Fund." Mr. Joe Britton, speaking for the Conf. Board of Pensions, summarized the resolution for the conference, which in effect makes it possible to increase the pension rate for pastors from the present rate of \$50 per service year to \$85 per service year, beginning January 1, 1978." The motion was seconded and carried. The complete text of the resolution is on file in the Alaska Mission office.

It was moved by Jackie Oberg, seconded and carried, that Goal #4, page 36, sub-paragraphs A, B, D, E, F of the PCH be accepted as printed with the change of the word "equip" to "assist" in F. She further moved that Goal #6, A, B, C be accepted as printed. It was seconded and carried.

Mrs. Oberg then asked Roger Thompson to speak to the Hope Church recommendation. After some questions and answers, Mr. Thompson moved that "the Hope Church be designated as a conference Retreat Center, with the Mission Superintendent and two other persons acting as keepers of the property and coordinators of program and use." It was seconded and carried.

It was moved and seconded that the funds raised by the finance campaign 1978-79, previously designated to be divided equally between Pensions and Church Extension, be designated only for the Pension Fund and that a minimum goal of \$55,000 be accepted. After questions and answers, the motion carried.

The Conference adjourned at 3:20 p.m. The afternoon was spent sightseeing in the Juneau area. At 6:30 p.m. the Conference gathered at the Argetsinger Camp for dinner followed by a song fest of beloved hymns, somewhat in a camp meeting mood.

Saturday, June 11

Morning devotions were led by the United Methodist Women Conference officers: Mary Lou Hollett, Mary Lou Lawhorn, Gladys Cramer, and Mary Thompson. Bishop Crutchfield preached from the text, "So we built the wall; and all the wall was joined together to half its height. For the people had a mind to work." (Nehemiah 4:6). Bishop Crutchfield emphasized the importance of working together in trust and mutual dependence in all circumstances, observing that "The only answer to criticism is excellence."

K. Equitable Salary Committee

Bishop Tuell called the conference to order and recognized Sally Lowery who reported for the Equitable Salary Committee. Since their findings were inconclusive, she moved that the committee continue their research. It was seconded and carried.

L. Council on Finance and Administration

Barbara Shaffer presented the report of the Council on Finance and Administration for action. After explanation and discussion, Roger Robison moved to accept the Alaska Missionary Conference proposed 1978 budget as found on page 8 and 9 of the P.C.H. It was seconded by Jack Townshend. Sally Lowery, referring to the P.C.H. page 41, moved that the figure of \$25,272, the amount of the Alaska Mission support for the pastors base salary, be increased to \$26,960. See page 48, II, 1,B, P.C.H. It was seconded. John Garvin moved to defer Sally's motion. It was seconded and carried. Mrs. Lowery then moved to increase the base salary for pastors from \$9,200 to \$10,000, as reported on page 3 of the printed P.C.H. Discussion followed, with Rev. Wischmeier and Bishop Tuell commenting. Bishop Tuell recalled a conversation with Dr. Randolph Nugent of the Division of National Missions, indicating that mission support would be cut drastically in 1978 and 1979. After further discussion, a count vote was taken: 21 in favor, 16 against; the motion to increase the base salary to \$10,000 was carried.

M. Grade Point

The conference found itself discussing the grade point figure as the means of determining apportionments. Two methods of determining the grade point were presented:

- (1) based on the church budget.
- (2) based on the budget and membership.

Jack Townshend moved that the conference accept the method of basing the grade point on budget only. It was seconded. Discussion followed. John Shaffer moved the amendment that the grade point be determined by membership and budget as last year. Discussion followed. The order of the day prevailed and the conference recessed.

Following recess, Bishop Tuell recapped the Grade Point motion and discussion followed. Roger Robison moved a substitute motion to base the grade point upon $\frac{1}{3}$ membership and $\frac{2}{3}$ budget. Discussion continued. John Garvin moved previous question. It was seconded and carried. The substitute motion of $\frac{1}{3}$ to $\frac{2}{3}$ lost. The motion to continue the present system which bases the grade point equally upon membership and budget was voted upon and carried.

John Garvin moved that the "Salary Sharing Grade Point Tables for Self Supporting Churches;" found on page 45 of the PCH be accepted. It was seconded. Bruce Bartel moved a substitute motion that the years of service be deleted in computing the \$4000 apportioned to self supporting churches. It was seconded but did not carry.

John Tindell moved that the \$2000 be added to the "Salary Sharing" figure, bringing that figure to \$6000, to be pro-rated among the self supporting churches. It was seconded and carried.

Barbara Shaffer moved that the conference budget as amended be adopted. It was seconded and carried. She also moved that recommendations of the Council on Finance and Administration, pages 2 and 3 of the printed pre-conference Journal be adopted. It was seconded. Roger Thompson moved deletion of the last paragraph of #6. The motion failed. The motion to adopt as printed passed.

N. 1978 Annual Conference

Jackie Oberg, on behalf of the Kenai Church, invited the annual mission conference to convene there in 1978. It was seconded and carried. Bishop Tuell asked about a possible date for the conference and took a straw vote which indicated a preference for mid-June. He therefore set June 15-18 as the tentative date for the 1978 conference.

O. Argetsinger Camp

Robert McNabb presented the report of the Argetsinger Camp as found on pages 38-39 of the PCH. Wayne Mabry moved that the recommendation on page 38 be accepted. It was seconded.

The order of the day was noted and by common consent the time of the morning session was extended to 12:30 pm.

Discussion on recommendations continued. Rev. Ac Wischmeier moved that the Board of Directors of the Argetsinger Camp be confirmed by the annual mission conference. It was seconded and carried.

Robert McNabb moved that the Argetsinger Camp report on pages 38 and 39 of the PCH be adopted. It was seconded and carried.

William Trudeau moved that the Birchwood Camp Board of Directors be confirmed by the annual missionary conference. It was seconded and carried.

P. Conference Council on Youth Ministries

Arthur Knight spoke to the CCYM constitution and noted changes in the original document. He moved to suspend the rules regarding CCYM. It was seconded and carried by a $\frac{2}{3}$ vote. He then moved that the CCYM constitution be adopted as amended by the youth. It was seconded and carried.

Max Cramer announced that he would be itinerating in the Central Pennsylvania Conference.

Bill Brooks announced that a folder on World Hunger is available for each church.

Bruce Bartel moved to reconsider the Church and Society report. It was seconded and carried. The following resolution regarding war and taxes was moved and seconded:

WHEREAS: the General Conference of the United Methodist Church has declared its belief that war is incompatible with the teaching and example of Christ (1) and
WHEREAS, the General Conference of the United Methodist Church has declared its support for individuals who conscientiously oppose war, (2), and
WHEREAS, the General Conference of the United Methodist Church has expressed its support of legal recognition of persons opposing the payment of taxes for military

purposes, (3), and
WHEREAS, this Annual Conference is mindful of the actions taken by the General Conference,
NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED:

That this Annual Conference support enactment of House Bill HR 4897 and Senate Bill 880, entitled "World Peace Tax Fund Bill," which would permit taxpayers who cannot conscientiously finance military programs to have that part of their federal taxes placed in a federal trust fund to be used for peace projects;

FURTHER, BE IT RESOLVED:

That this Annual Conference encourage each parish and their parishioners to carefully review and express their respective positions on this legislation to Alaska's congressional delegation;

FURTHER, BE IT RESOLVED:

That this Annual Conference commend Senator Mike Gravel for his sponsorship of this legislation in the Senate;

FURTHER, BE IT RESOLVED:

That the conference secretary be directed to transmit a copy of this resolution to each parish in the conference, to the Alaska Congressional delegation, and to the National Council for a World Peace Tax Fund.

(1) United Methodist Church, Social Principles, paragraph 75c, *The Book of Discipline*, 1976

(2) Ibid. 74g

(3) 1976 General Conference, May 5, 1976

After much discussion, a count vote was taken; 26 for the resolution and 14 against. The resolution passed.

Arthur Knight moved that a copy of the resolution be enclosed in mailings to local churches. It was seconded and carried.

It was moved, seconded, and carried, to extend the time of adjournment.

Q. The Nominating Committee

It was moved and seconded to receive the report of the Nominating Committee. It was moved and seconded that Sophie Gutierrez' name be added to the Status and Role of Women Committee. Roger Robison moved that Jack Townshend's name be added to this committee, also. It was seconded and carried.

It was moved, seconded, and carried that Arthur and LuDean Knight be named Conference Youth advisors.

It was noted that Phil Robison's name should be removed from the youth council.

It was moved, seconded, and carried that Dave Fison replace Bob Bowers on the Nominating Committee.

LeRoy Davis inquired as to whether Jack Townshend was an ex-officio member of the Commission on Religion and Race. Bishop Tuell ruled that he was not. Rev. Davis then moved that Jack Townshend's name be added to the Commission on Religion and Race. It was seconded and carried.

Revell Roach moved to adopt the report of the Nominating Committee. It was seconded and carried.

R. Lay Leader's Report

Larry Bennett, Conference Lay Leader, expressed gratitude for the privilege of the office and moved the acceptance of his report on pages 22, 23, and 33 of the PCH. It was seconded and carried. In commenting upon the annual conference, he observed (1) That the clergy talked too much (Editor's note: some); (2) That it is expensive to print verbatim in the Conference Journal; and (3) Let us put our "motions" into actions.

S. Committee on Appreciation

Natalie Brooks expressed the appreciation of the conference to the people of our host churches, Juneau and Douglas, who cared for our every need in such a wonderful way. She commented that "your service above self contributed much to the success of the conference. Thank you for everything including the weather."

Robert McNabb asked for the privilege of the floor and invited singers to join the choir who will be singing for the Sunday morning service.

Don Hartman announced that pictures of the conference would be taken ten minutes before the next session.

The conference expressed their appreciation with a standing ovation to Bishop and Mrs. Finis Crutchfield for being with us and inspiring us during this conference session.

It was announced that the afternoon scheduled meetings of the General Commissions Committees would begin at 1:40 pm and the Annual Conference Banquet would be held at the Chapel by the Lake in Auke Bay at 6:30 pm.

Roger Thompson moved that the conference adjourn after the reading of the appointments on Sunday. It was seconded and carried.

Annual Missionary Conference Banquet

After a delicious meal served by the members of the Auke Bay Chapel by the Sea, M.C. Larry Bennett introduced VIP members, told a few jokes and invited us to the sanctuary to enjoy a presentation by the Thlinget Dancers.

Following this engaging native dance, Bishop Tuell gave his "State of the Church" address. Dealing with the measurables and the unmeasurables of the mission, he observed (among the measurables) that there was a decline of 21% in membership since 1971; that total giving was up 60%, that benevolent giving was up 70% that property values had increased and indebtedness had decreased. Among the immeasurables, he felt there was more warmth; that more people were engaged in Bible study, and that there was a more evangelical mood. He also observed that some ministers tended to "back off" social issues. That something is stirring us up is evidenced by the action taken regarding the establishment of a church in Bay Shore West. It is possible for the church to come under the "New Management" of Christ, remembering that "all God requires of us is faithfulness...Wake up, United Methodism, the world has begun."

Sunday Morning

At 8:45 am, the conference gathered in the sanctuary of the Northern Light Church for a Love Feast, a time of song and sharing.

The morning worship opened with the congregation and choir uniting in the introit "God of Grace and God of Glory."

Bishop Crutchfield preached on the topic, "The Lord's Style of Living." In a word, he observed that Jesus' life style was Free but not license, Thankful for all things, Compassionate to those in all walks of life, and Trusting, God completely and others.

Following the reading of the appointments by Bishop Jack Tuell, Mission Superintendent Ac Wischmeier pronounced the benediction.

The conference adjourned at 11:15 am.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "Roger W. Thompson".

Roger W. Thompson, Secretary



Bishop Finis A. Crutchfield.

IV. PASTORAL APPOINTMENTS FOR 1977-78

Superintendent of the Alaska Missionary Conference	Ac Wischmeier	9
Anchorage: Anchor Park	LeRoy W. Davis, Jr.	1
	Lucretia Hurley Davis	1
East Anchorage	Roger W. Thompson	4
First	Bruce A. Bartel	2
First, Associate	Barbara S. Eicher	1
St. John	David K. Fison	6
Tri-Anchor Ecumenical Parish:		
Turnagain United Methodist Church	William G. Trudeau	4
Jewel Lake Parish, Girdwood United Methodist	Donald L. Hartman	3
Trinity United Presbyterian (not appointed by United Methodist Bishop)		
Chugiak	Gregory L. Eicher	1
Fairbanks: First	Paul O. Jewell	1
North Pole United Church	Claude E. Klaver*	1
Homer Parish: Homer, Ninilchik, Seldovia	Keith B. Wise	6
Douglas Community	Robert H. McNabb	4
Juneau: Northern Light United Church	John R. Tindell	4
Kenai: Church of the New Covenant	Arthur P. Knight	2
Ketchikan: First	Max W. Cramer	2
Nome: Aywaan Bering Sea Larger Parish	John J. Shaffer	4
Seward-Moose Pass-Cooper Landing	Revelle E. Roach	2
Sitka	Roger D. Robison	2
Soldotna	Dennis B. Holway	1
Special Appointment with Annuity Claim:		
North Star, Worker-Priest	R. Melvin Vostry	1
Deaconess Appointment:		
Norton Sound Regional Hospital	Priscilla Ringenburg	1
Special Assignment:		
Bayshore West-Anchorage	John C. Garvin	1
Special Appointments in Alaska of United Methodist Ministers		
Not Members of Alaska Missionary Conference:		
Executive Director, Alaska Children's Services	John C. Garvin	3
Associate Director, Alaska Children's Services	Walter L. Hays, Jr.	4
Director, Youth Services Center of Alaska Children's Services	Robert D. Bowers	2
Director, Center for Parents and Children, Alaska Children's Services	Robert W. Nelson	3
President, Alaska Methodist University	Glenn A. Olds	1
Director, Volunteer Services, State of Alaska	Howard L. Devore	1

*A United Presbyterian Minister serving a United Methodist-Presbyterian Church.

V. FINANCIAL AND
STATISTICAL MATTERS

A. Council on Finance and Administration

RECOMMENDATIONS

Barbara Shaffer, President

1. That the 1976 concluding statistics be used to produce the 1978 grade point figures.
2. That all requests for funds from the conference budget shall be submitted to the Council at its spring meeting.
3. That the superintendent's salary be determined at the rate of 150% of the base salary for non-self-supporting churches plus the appropriate amount for years of service and all benefits provided pastors.
4. That the total amount for salary subsidy be set at \$82,552 which is the request of the Equitable Salary Committee this year.
5. That the total budget of the Alaska Missionary Conference for 1978 be \$190,780 including \$87,780 from the Alaska Missionary Conference, \$102,500 from the National Division of the Board of Global Ministries, and \$500 from the General Board of Higher Education and Ministry.
6. That the grade point figure for the local churches be derived as follows:

Grade point figure equals the average of the Membership Grade Figure and the Local Expense Grade Figure. The Membership Grade Figure equals total church membership divided by the total Alaska Missionary Conference membership at the end of the calendar year. Local Expense Grade Figure equals individual church expenditure divided by total expenditure of all Alaska Missionary Conference churches of the last calendar year. Local expenses shall include general church expenditures (excluding loan repayment, interest, building improvements and benevolences), church school administration, materials, and supplies; and local paid portions of the pastor's salary and travel expenses.

Each local church has the right to appeal to the Commission on Finance and Administration concerning the amounts assessed, if there are unusual circumstances which should be considered provided this appeal be made prior to the spring meeting of the Council before the grade point figures are published.

7. That the apportionments set by the General Council on Finance and Administration for our Conference be accepted for the 1978 calendar year.

8. That the Alaska Missionary Conference office mail quarterly reports of all monies apportioned and received to the National Division, the Bishop, and to appropriate local church personnel.
9. That all cash balances in expenditure divisions of the Conference budget revert to the general fund at the end of the fiscal year, except funds received for Christian Education Offerings and from Audio-visual Library fees which may be held over to the next year.
10. That all churches participate in Advance Special giving, including the Missional Priorities: Hunger and Ethnic Minority Local Churches.
11. That the churches continue to give vigorous support to all United Methodist Institutions in Alaska, and that an annual United Methodist Institutions Sunday be observed, the date being recommended by the Council on Ministries.
12. That we draw attention of all churches to the policy of the National Division that all churches receiving funds to supplement the amount paid by the church for the pastor's salary shall conduct an Annual Every Member Visitation.
13. Recognizing that the changing priorities of the National Division require the acceptance of increasing financial responsibilities on the part of Alaska churches, we urge the aggressive development of increased local financial support.

Equitable Salary Committee

The Equitable Salary committee met on January 14, 1977 with the following action:

1. After reviewing the budget requests for supplementary financial aid from the non-self-supporting churches, the committee recommended that their request be granted for the year 1977.
2. We recommend that the salary of ministers, effective January 1, 1978, be raised from \$9200 to \$10,000, continue the policy that the local church will reimburse the pastor for one half of his social security payment, and leave the area adjustment at the same percentage presently in effect: Anchorage and southeast, at base; Kenai and Peninsula, plus 6 per cent; Fairbanks, plus 8 percent; Nome, plus 26 percent. The committee is currently working on a new formula.
3. We recommend that self supporting churches be allowed to increase their minister's salary beyond the 1977 salary base provided that they accept the apportionment according to the special grade point.

Sally Lowery, Chairman

Salary Sharing Grade Point Tables - Self-Supporting Churches

The following recommendation comes from the Council on Finance and Administration: "That \$10,000 be allocated to the self supporting churches for 1978 to be prorated as follows: \$6000 be prorated among the churches on the basis of their grade point figure; \$6000 be prorated among the churches on the basis of the salary paid the pastor in 1977 above the cash salary paid pastors in non-self supporting churches, including base salary, geographic area adjustment, years of service and ½ social security."

Salary Sharing Grade Point Table Based on Local Expense Grade Figure for \$6000 - Self Supporting Churches

	Grade Point 1978	1978 Sharing	Total Shared
Anchor Park	7.57	10.19	611
East Anchorage	7.76	10.44	626
First, Anchorage	12.23	16.46	988
Turnagain	7.29	9.81	589
Jewel Lake	2.08	2.78	167
Fairbanks	14.92	20.09	1206
Ketchikan	7.78	10.48	629
Douglas	3.67	4.94	296
Juneau, N. Lt.	5.99	8.07	484
Kenai	5.01	6.74	404
	74.30	100.00	6000

Salary Sharing of \$6000 by Formula in Motion Above

	Paid Over Base	Grade Point	Total Shared
Anchor Park	3800	17.55	1053
East Anchorage	800	3.69	222
First, Anchorage	3600	16.62	997
Turnagain	2067	9.54	572
Jewel Lake			
Fairbanks	5108	23.60	1416
Ketchikan	2840	13.11	787
Douglas			
Juneau, N. Lt.	2874	13.27	796
Kenai	568	2.62	157
	21657	100.00	6000

Total Apportioned to Each Self-Supporting Church for Salary Sharing (Based on the above two charts)

Anchor Park	1664
East Anchorage	848
First, Anchorage	1985
Turnagain	1161
Jewel Lake	167
Fairbanks	2622
Ketchikan	1416
Douglas	296
Juneau, N. Lt.	1280
Kenai	561
	12,000

C. 1977 Cash Salary, Travel, Social Security, and Medical Insurance Paid Pastors

	CASH SAL.	SOCIAL SEC.	TOTAL CASH SAL.	TRAVEL	MED. INS.	TOTAL PAID
Aamodt, A.	11752	652	12404	2950	568	15922
Bartel, B.	14000	652	14652	2000	568	17220
Cramer, M.	14040	652	14692	1200	568	16460
Fison, D.	11200	652	11852	2200	568	14620
Groves, E.	10900	652	11552	2500		14052
Hartman, D.	10900	652	11552	1700	568	13820
Kleen, R.	15000	652	15652	1900		17552
Knight, A.	10068	652	10720	1900	568	13188
McNabb, R.	11200	652	11852	1600		13452
Robison, R.	11200	652	11852	1500	568	13920
Roach, R.	11752	652	12404	2550	198	15152
Shaffer, J.	13192	652	13844	1600		15444
Smith, R.	17044	652	17696	1936	1128	20760
Thompson, R.	12000	652	12652	1900	650	15202
Tindell, J.	16500	900	17400	1800		19200
Trudeau, W.	12467	652	13119	2400	630	16149
Wise, K.	11152	652	11804	2950	568	15322
Wischmeier, A.	15800	652	16452	1100	568	18120

All parsonage utilities are paid by the local church.

D. Alaska Missionary Conference Budget, 1978

	1977 A.M.C.	1977 N. Div.	1977 Total	1978 A.M.C.	Proposed 1978 N. Div.	1978 Total
I. EXPENDITURES						
A. MINISTERIAL SUPPORT						
1. Episcopal Fund, for support of Bishops, widows & children of deceased Bishops	719		719	719		719
2. Pension & Death Benefit, apportioned to provide benefits for ministerial members of the Alaska Missionary Conference	6942		6942	8072		8072
3. Superintendent's Fund, apportioned for support of the A.M.C. Superintendent	6814	18173	24987	6913	19173	26086
4. Salary subsidy for non-self-support churches	<u>20535</u>	<u>65570</u>	<u>86105</u>	<u>27260</u>	<u>55298</u>	<u>82570</u>
	35010	83743	118753	42964	74471	117447
B. CONNECTIONAL ADMINISTRATION						
1. Temporary General Aid for equalization of pensions & salaries of former Central Jurisdiction members	250		250	250		250
2. General Administration of U.M.C.	213		213	213		213
3. Interdenominational Cooperation Fund, for U.M.C. share of support of World and National Councils of Churches	148		148	148		148
4. Jurisdictional Fund, support of Western Jurisdiction	117		117	117		117
5. Ministerial Education Fund (3/4 to General Church)	2410		2410	1807		1807
6. Black Colleges	887		887	887		887
7. Mass Communications				89		89
8. Missional Priorities (set by General Conf.)				610		610
9. Conference Office Expenses	12363	10014	22377	13161	10014	23175
10. Annual Meeting	1200	5800	7000	1200	5800	7000
11. Mission cars		1450	1450		1450	1450
	<u>18287</u>	<u>17264</u>	<u>35551</u>	<u>18482</u>	<u>17264</u>	<u>35746</u>

	1977 A.M.C.	1977 N. Div.	1977 Total	1978 A.M.C.	Proposed 1978 N. Div.	1978 Total
C. WORLD SERVICE AND CONFERENCE BENEVOLENCES						
1. World Service Apportionments	3693		3693	3693		3693
2. Conference Benevolences						
a. Council on Ministries Program Expense	15526	4119*	19645*	17051	3619*	20670*
b. Board of Ministry, (1/4 of Min. Educ. Fund)				603		603
c. Diaconal Ministry Board				500		500
d. Native Ministry Office	3087	7647	10733	3087	7646	10733
e. Council on Finance & Administration Expense	700		700	900		900
f. Contingency	500		500	500		500
TOTALS	<u>23506</u>	<u>11765*</u>	<u>35271*</u>	<u>26334</u>	<u>11265*</u>	<u>37599*</u>
RECAPITULATION						
A. Ministerial Support	35010	83743	118753	42964	74471	117447
B. Connectional Administration	18287	17264	35551	18482	17264	35746
C. World Service & Conference Benevolences	<u>23506</u>	<u>11765*</u>	<u>35271*</u>	<u>26334</u>	<u>11265*</u>	<u>37599*</u>
	76803	112772*	189575*	87780	103000*	190792*
II. SOURCES OF INCOME						
A. National Division		112500	112500		102500	102500
B. Board of Higher Education		500*	500*		500*	500*
C. Alaska Sources						
1. Apportionments	60000		60000	66000		66000
2. Christian Education offering (from prior year)	300		300	435		435
3. AV Library fees	250		250	250		250
D. Salary Subsidy from self support churches	6000		6000	10000		12000
E. Special Gifts	2500		2500	1600		1600
F. Duplex Income				2507		2507
G. Increase in Support from non self-support churches	<u>5000</u>		<u>5000</u>	<u>5000</u>		<u>5000</u>
TOTALS	<u>76803</u>	<u>113000*</u>	<u>189575*</u>	<u>87780</u>	<u>103000*</u>	<u>190792*</u>

*Includes \$500 from Board of Higher Education.

E. Conference Council on Ministries Budget, 1978

I. EXPENDITURES	1977	Proposed 1978
A. DISCIPLESHP		
1. Education	250	100
2. Youth Ministries		
a. Conference Council	775	775
b. Southeast Convocation	500	500
c. Southcentral Convocation	200	100
3. Camping		
a. Nome	120	125
b. Southeast	400	400
c. Birchwood	1300	1300
4. Audio Visual Library	250	500
5. Christian Education Offering		60
6. Pastors Wives Retreat	3000	2500
7. Historical Society	200	100
8. Family Ministry Workshop	500	300
	7985*	6760
B. CHURCH & SOCIETY		
1. Emerging Social Issues		200
2. Native Land Claims		300
3. Status and Role of Women		200
4. Hunger		
a. Telephone & letters		
b. Travel		250
c. Resources		
	150*	950
C. GLOBAL MINISTRIES		
1. Mission		
a. Administration (Publicity)	25	25
b. Global Ministry material	50	50
2. Evangelism		
a. Administration (Postage)	50	100
b. Materials, resources library, Evangelism Resource catalog		120
3. Ecumenical Affairs		
a. AK Christian Conference	600	690
b. Travel to biennial conference	700	700
	1635*	1685

*Including items of differing categories.

	1977	Proposed 1978
D. LAY ACTIVITIES & TEMPORAL ECONOMY		
1. Administration	25	25
2. Equitable Salary Committee	500	500
3. Lay Speaker Training		2500
4. Lay Leader National Conference	400	500
5. Leadership Development		500
	3425*	4025
E. COUNCIL ON MINISTRIES		
1. Travel	2500	2500
2. Publication	1500	1300
3. Co-ordinator		
a. Salary	2000	3000
b. Communication	200	200
c. Materials	150	150
	6350	7150
F. CONTINGENCY	100	100
TOTAL EXPENDITURE	19645	20670
RECAPITULATION		
A. Christian Nurture	7985	6760
B. Christian Social Resp.	150	950
C. Christian Outreach	1635	1685
D. Lay Activities & Temporal Economy	3425	4025
E. Council on Ministries	6350	7150
F. Contingency	100	100
	19645	20670
II. INCOME		
A. National Division		
1. Birchwood Truck	1000	1000
2. Pastors/Wives School	1419	919
3. Christian Nurture	1200	1200
	3619	3119
B. Board of Higher Education	500	500
C. Audio-Visual Library	250	250
D. Christian Education Offering	398	435
E. Apportionments	14976	16366
	19743	20670

*Including items of differing categories.

F. Balance Sheet of the Annual Conference Accounts

ACCT. NO.		Balance 12-31-75	Receipts	Disburse- ments	Balance 12-31-76
101	Office Salaries	-0-	9525.00	9525.00	-0-
101A	Part Time Off. Sal.	-0-	350.00	350.00	-0-
102	Payroll Taxes	265.51	3201.55	3467.06	-0-
106	Workmen's Compens.	-0-	2517.87	2517.87	-0-
200	Office Equipment	-0-	500.04	500.04	-0-
201	Legal & Accounting	-0-	3601.00	3601.00	-0-
202	Office Operating	-0-	5885.62	5885.62	-0-
204	Office Rent	-0-	5670.00	5670.00	-0-
205	Display Advertising	197.04	2898.85	2959.99	135.90
301	Supt. Salary	-0-	14728.35	14728.35	-0-
302A	Supt. Car Allowance	-0-	900.00	900.00	-0-
302B	Supt. Travel	-0-	7423.45	7423.45	-0-
302C	Supt. Soc. Sec.	-0-	604.00	604.00	-0-
303	Supt. Entertainment	-0-	650.00	650.00	-0-
304	Supt. Utilities	-0-	1444.01	1444.01	-0-
305	Supt. Hosp. Ins.	-0-	489.30	489.30	-0-
501	Mission Vehicles	-0-	1642.85	1642.85	-0-
600	Nome Special Fund	5479.09	255.80	-0-	5734.89
601	Minority Children	4496.90	612.81	1383.72	3725.99
700	Pastor Salary Shar.	600.00	2639.54	2639.54	600.00
701	Home Mission Revolv.	1777.32	32089.94	34446.26	(570.00)
706	Chugiak	-0-	7847.00	7847.00	-0-
708	Homer	-0-	8415.04	8415.04	-0-
709	Kenai	-0-	1996.96	1996.96	-0-
710	Soldotna	-0-	4849.48	4849.48	-0-
710A	North Star	-0-	4849.48	4849.48	-0-
711	Jewel Lake	-0-	1500.00	1500.00	-0-
712	St. John	-0-	5348.00	5348.00	-0-
713	Nome	-0-	13172.92	13172.92	-0-
714	Seward	-0-	7723.37	7723.37	-0-
715	East Anchorage	-0-	1300.00	1300.00	-0-
717	United Campus Minis.	-0-	7056.00	7056.00	-0-
720	Sitka	-0-	6217.00	6217.00	-0-
721	Native Min. Acct.	-0-	3989.00	-0-	3989.00
722	Coordinator, C. on Min.	1654.45	3000.00	2500.00	2154.45
723	Pipeline Chap. Sal.	-0-	12264.39	12264.39	-0-
802	Annual Meeting	-0-	7799.22	7799.22	-0-
806	Birchwood Camp	-0-	1000.00	1000.00	-0-
1101	Church Extension				
1218	Hope Church Proj.	291.68	-0-	2.75	288.93
1308	Wesley House, UCM	375.00	3000.00	3000.00	375.00
1320	Duplex, Anchorage	5712.54	6925.83	6925.83	5712.54
PAGE TOTALS		23212.26	211527.67	211527.67	22984.13

ACCT. NO.		Balance 12-31-75	Receipts	Disburse- ments	Balance 12-31-76
2000	Ministerial Supp.	-0-	30394.14	30394.14	-0-
2012	Pensions & Death B.	47.92	11334.16	11358.12	-23.96
3020	Conn. Admin.	-0-	17307.00	17307.00	-0-
3030	Min. Cont. Educ.	-0-	1771.46	1641.64	129.82
4030	World Serv.	-0-	23023.00	23023.00	-0-
4032	Gen. Adv. Spec.	-0-	9835.38	9835.38	-0-
4033	One Great Hour	-0-	5350.46	5350.46	-0-
4034	World Wide Communion	-0-	1169.59	1169.59	-0-
4036	Meth. Student Day	-0-	302.58	302.58	-0-
4038	Human Rel. Day	-0-	634.53	634.53	-0-
4039	AK Meth. Univ.	-0-	200.00	200.00	-0-
4041	Reconciliation Fund	396.66	-0-	-0-	396.66
4044	Christian Ed. Sun.	398.61	435.77	398.61	435.77
4047	AK Childrens Serv.	-0-	1864.77	1864.77	-0-
4048	Conf. Adv. Spec.	-0-	2065.09	484.85	1580.24
4049	Native AK Minis.	4239.78	4082.32	60.74	8261.36
4050	Pipeline Chap.	3968.23	10003.10	12075.40	1895.93
5001	Christian Soc. Re.	-0-	175.00	175.00	-0-
5021A	Camping: Nome	-0-	120.00	120.00	-0-
5021B	Camping: S.E.	-0-	400.00	400.00	-0-
5021C	Camping: Birchwood	-0-	1700.00	1700.00	-0-
5021D	Camping: Fairbanks	-0-	160.00	160.00	-0-
5022	Anch. Comm. Minis.	-0-	2083.28	2083.28	-0-
5023	A.V. Library	-0-	389.68	103.71	285.97
5024	Education	-0-	200.00	200.00	-0-
5025	Worship	-0-	100.00	100.00	-0-
5026	Christian Nurt. Adm.	-0-	30.00	30.00	-0-
5027	Family Life	-0-	500.00	500.00	-0-
5030	Lay Act. & Temp. Ec.	-0-	525.00	525.00	-0-
5041	Ecumenical Aff.	-0-	1155.00	1155.00	-0-
5042	Missions	-0-	475.00	475.00	-0-
5043	Evangelism	-0-	46.70	46.70	-0-
5050	Pastors-Wives Retreat	-0-	3740.00	3740.00	-0-
5060	Helpshops	-0-	601.66	534.65	67.01
5060A	Counc. on Min. travel	-0-	2000.00	2000.00	-0-
5060B	Counc. — Bridge	-0-	1359.83	1359.83	-0-
5060C	Counc. — Coord. Exp.	-0-	1350.70	1175.98	174.72
5065	Historical Society	300.00	300.00	600.00	-0-
5070*	Contingency Fund	9760.38	2919.49	768.00	11911.87
5080	Fin. and Adm. Exp.	-0-	600.00	600.00	-0-
5091*	Special Fund	200.00	-0-	-0-	200.00
5100	Cache of Songbooks	341.25	-0-	98.66	242.59
5101*	Service Men's Fund	1060.00	-0-	-0-	1060.00
5102	Anch. Youth Fund	24.90	-0-	24.90	-0-
5103	U. Meth. Youth Min.	393.16	-0-	-0-	393.16
5103A	U.Meth. Y.M. Con. C.	-0-	975.00	-0-	975.00
5103B	UMYM S.E. Convo.	-0-	500.00	500.00	-0-
5103C	UMYM S. Cen. Conv.	-0-	250.00	250.00	-0-
5103D	Honduras Workshop	-0-	200.00	200.00	-0-
5104	Special Projects	-0-	500.00	500.00	-0-
5200	Conf. Ben. Reserv.	8149.78	14132.92	17622.51	4660.19
5716	Hosp. Ins.	39.42	5733.12	6485.22	(712.68)
PAGE TOTALS		29320.09	162995.73	160374.25	31981.57

*Includes Designated Funds.

G. Apportionments to Local Churches

CHURCH	GRADE POINT	MIN. SUPP.	CONN. ADM.	WORLD SERV.	TOTAL
Anchor Park	7.57	2386	1071	1534	4996
Chugiak	2.76	870	392	560	1822
East Anchorage	7.76	2446	1103	1573	5122
First, Anchorage	12.23	3855	1739	2478	8072
Girdwood	.30	95	43	60	198
Jewel Lake	2.08	656	296	421	1373
St. John	5.27	1661	749	1068	3478
Turnagain	7.29	2298	1036	1477	4811
Fairbanks	14.92	4703	2121	3024	9848
Homer	2.13	672	303	431	1406
Ninilchik	.97	306	138	196	640
Kenai	5.01	1579	713	1015	3307
North Star	1.04	328	148	210	686
Soldotna	3.14	989	447	636	2072
Seward	2.68	845	381	541	1769
Moose Pass	.44	139	62	89	290
Nome	4.68	1475	665	949	3089
Douglas	3.67	1157	522	743	2422
Juneau, N. Lt.	5.99	1888	851	1214	3953
Ketchikan	7.78	2452	1106	1577	5135
Sitka	2.29	722	326	463	1511
	100.00	31522	14217	20261	66000

VI. PASTORAL RECORDS

BARTEL, BRUCE ALLEN **Wisconsin**

Wisconsin Conference (EUB); On trial 1965; D, 1969; E, 1970: EDUCATION: University of Wisconsin, Stevens Point, Wisconsin, 1966; Evangelical Theological Seminary, 1970; APPOINTMENTS: Milladore, Wisconsin, 1965; Wisconsin Rapids, (Associate), 1965; Alaska Mission, First-Anchorage (Associate), 1970; Kenai, Church of the New Covenant, 1971; Anchorage-First, 1976. WIFE: Kathleen Ann; CHILDREN: Tami, Brian, Trina.

BOWERS, ROBERT DALE* **Wisconsin**

South Iowa Conference; On trial, 1958; D, 1959; E, 1961; EDUCATION: Drake University, 1957; Garrett Theological Seminary, 1961; APPOINTMENTS: South Iowa Conference, Victor-Immanuel, 1961; East Wisconsin Conference, Brookfield, 1964; Alaska Mission, Seward, 1967; Kenai-Church of the New Covenant, 1969; Anchor Park, Anchorage, 1971; Staff, Alaska Children's Services, (Jan. 1), 1977; WIFE: Beverly; CHILDREN: Stephen, Carolyn, Christine, David.

CRAMER, MAX WAYNE **Central Pennsylvania**

Central Pennsylvania Conference; On trial, 1951; D, 1952; E, 1954; EDUCATION: West Virginia Wesleyan College, B.A., 1951; Wesley Theological Seminary, B.D.; 1954; M. Div., 1971; APPOINTMENTS: Claysburg, 1951; McVeytown, 1954; Snowshoe, 1956; Reedsville, 1958, Western Pa. Conference; Harrisville, 1959; Dubois Lakeside, 1965; Alaska Mission, East Anchorage-Girdwood, 1966; Clearfield, Pennsylvania, 1970; Alaska Mission Seward, 1973; Ketchikan, 1976; WIFE: Gladys; CHILDREN: Ellen, Robert, Diana, Nancy, Beata.

DAVIS, LEROY WILLIAM, JR. **Virginia**

Virginia Conference, On trial, 1972; D, 1972; E, 1976; EDUCATION: Pfeiffer College, Misenheimer, N.C., 1971; Garrett Theological Seminary, 1975; APPOINTMENTS: Burke, 1975; Alaska Mission, Anchor Park, Anchorage, 1977; WIFE: Lucretia Hurley.

DAVIS, LUCRETIA HURLEY **Virginia**

Virginia Conference, On trial, 1974; D, 1974; E, 1976; EDUCATION: Pfeiffer College, Misenheimer, N.C., 1971; Garrett Theological Seminary, 1975; APPOINTMENTS: Aldersgate, Alexandria, 1975; Alaska Mission, Anchor Park, Anchorage, 1977; HUSBAND: Leroy William, Jr.

EICHER, BARBARA SCOTT **Kansas West**

Kansas West Conference, On trial, 1976; D, 1976; EDUCATION: Seattle Pacific College, 1966; California Western University, 1968; University of Denver, 1970; Iliff School of Theology, 1975; APPOINTMENTS: To Attend graduate school, 1976; Alaska Mission, Associate, First Church, Anchorage, 1977; HUSBAND: Gregory Lane.

EICHER, GREGORY LANE **Kansas West**

Kansas West Conference, On trial, 1975; D, 1975; EDUCATION: Kansas State University, 1970; Iliff School of Theology, 1977; APPOINTMENTS: To attend school, 1975, Intern Year, Twin Valley Parish; Alaska Mission, Chugiak, 1977; WIFE: Barbara Scott.

FISON, DAVID KONRAD Northern Illinois

Rock River Conference; On trial, 1954; D, 1954; E, 1956; EDUCATION: William Jewell College, 1952; Garrett Theological Seminary, 1956; APPOINTMENTS: Southwest Missouri, Bates City, 1949; Rock River, Malden, 1952; Ingelside, 1954; South Deering, 1956; Alaska Mission, Anchorage (Co-Pastor), 1960; Ketchikan, 1961; Fairbanks, 1966; St. John-Hope-Girdwood-Bayshore West, 1972; St. John-Hope-Bayshore West, 1975; St. John-Bayshore West, 1976; St. John, 1977; WIFE: Aleen; CHILDREN: Susan Renee, Deborah Ann, Paul Wesley, Jane Elizabeth, David James.

GARVIN, JOHN CHARLES* Western Pennsylvania

Transfer from United Presbyterian Church to Western Pennsylvania Conference; E, 1962; EDUCATION: University of Pittsburgh, 1955; Pittsburgh Theological Seminary, 1961; Graduate School of Social Work, University of Pittsburgh, 1970, 1972; PhD, University of Pittsburgh, 1976; APPOINTMENTS: Pittsburgh, Smithfield Street, (Associate), Bethany House, 1962; Pittsburgh, Church of Our Saviour, 1966; Calvary-Evergreen, 1971; Alaska Children's Services, 1975; WIFE: Audrey C.; CHILDREN: Barbara, Sally, Janice, Clark, Kenneth, David, Julianne, Lynette.

HARTMAN, DONALD LEE Western Pennsylvania

Pittsburgh Conference; On trial, 1959; D, 1959; E, 1962; EDUCATION: Asbury College, 1958; Pittsburgh Theological Seminary, 1962; APPOINTMENTS: Kentucky, Mitchellsburg-Wesley Chapel, 1957; Western Pennsylvania, McKeesport-Christy Park, 1958; Pittsburgh, Emory (Associate), 1962; Pittsburgh, Bethany House Inner City Ministry, 1964; Alaska Mission, First-Anchorage (Associate), 1966; Anchorage First (Associate) and Girdwood, 1968; Sitka, 1970; Jewel Lake-Girdwood, 1975; WIFE: Alma; CHILDREN: Karl Bradford, Jeanette Lynn, Kurt Brian, Janet Lee.

HAYS, WALTER LEE, JR.* Pacific and Southwest

Ohio Conference; On trial, 1961; Full Connection, 1963; D, 1961; E, 1963; EDUCATION: University of Cincinnati, 1960; Methodist Theological School, Ohio, 1963; APPOINTMENTS: Ohio, Newark First, (Assistant), 1960; Trinity, Columbus (Assistant), 1961; Alaska Mission, Executive Secretary of the Board of Education, 1963; Director of the Program Council, 1969; Nome, 1971; Southern California-Arizona Conference, Honolulu, Hawaii, First (Associate), 1973; Director of Development, Alaska Children's Services, 1974; Associate Director, 1976; WIFE: Lydia Lou; CHILDREN: Thomas Campbell, Robert Kim, Kenneth Richard.

HOLWAY, DENNIS BOYDEN Pacific and Southwest

Southern California-Arizona Conference; On trial, 1968; D, 1968; E, 1974; EDUCATION: California Western University, 1967; Boston University School of Theology, 1970; APPOINTMENTS: Minister of Youth, Glendale First, 1970; Associate Pastor, Mesa Verde, Costa Mesa, 1975; Alaska Mission, Soldotna, 1977; WIFE: Susan Joy.

JEWELL, PAUL O. Oregon-Idaho

Rock River Conference; On trial, 1954; D, 1954; Oregon, E, 1958; EDUCATION: Willamette University, 1953; Garrett Biblical Institute, 1957; New College, University of Edinburgh, 1956; APPOINTMENTS: Lents, 1957; Metzger, 1962; La Grande, 1968; Alaska Mission, Fairbanks First, 1977; WIFE: Elois Arden; CHILDREN: Coralie Arden, David Paul, Joy Marie, Scott Roseberry.

KLAVER, CLAUDE EUGENE Presbytery of Madison, UPCUSA
 Presbytery of Madison (Wisconsin), United Presbyterian Church, USA, ordained 1953 in the Presbytery of Waukon; EDUCATION: University of Dubuque, 1950; Dubuque Theological Seminary, 1953; summer work at Iowa State College and Wheaton College; APPOINTMENTS: Linn Grove, Mt. Vernon, Iowa, 1951; Salem-Hope, Pershing, Missouri, 1953; Yakutat, 1954; Mobile Missionary Pastor, Southcentral Alaska and Wasilla, 1958; First Presbyterian Church, Pardeeville, Wisconsin, 1965; currently serving in Piper City, Illinois; North Pole United Church, Alaska, 1977.

KNIGHT, ARTHUR P. Oregon-Idaho
 Oregon-Idaho Conference; On trial, 1974; D, 1974; EDUCATION: University of Puget Sound, 1949; Methodist Theological Seminary in Ohio, 1976; APPOINTMENTS: East Ohio Conference, Fresno, 1974; Alaska Missionary Conference, Kenai-Church of the New Covenant, 1976; WIFE: Luvinia Dean; CHILDREN: Susan Holstein, George E.

McNABB, ROBERT H. Oregon-Idaho
 Upper Iowa; On trial, 1944; EDUCATION: Iowa Business College, 1937; Iowa State Teachers College, 1942; Cornell College of Iowa, 1943; Boston University School of Theology, 1946; Boston University Graduate School, 1947; APPOINTMENTS: Iowa, Greeley-Oneida, 1947; Missionary to Hawaii, 1949; Oregon, Fossil, 1955; Molalla, 1958; University Park-Portland, 1963; Coquille, 1967; Hermiston, 1970; Alaska Mission, Douglas, 1974; WIFE: Doris Jean; CHILDREN: Daniel L., Allen O., Robert Roy, Gail Wing, and Marjori-Jean.

NELSON, ROBERT WILLIAM* Southern California-Arizona
 Southern California-Arizona; On trial, 1962; D, 1962; E, 1965; EDUCATION: El Camino College, 1956; University of California at Los Angeles, 1961; Claremont School of Theology, 1965; APPOINTMENTS: Southern California-Arizona Conference, Vermont Square, Los Angeles, 1962; Alaska Mission, Kenai, 1965; Fairbanks First (Associate) and Director of Wesley Foundation, 1969; Director of United Campus Ministry-Fairbanks, 1970; Wesley Foundation, UCLA, 1974; Director, Center for Children and Parents, Alaska Children's Services, 1975; WIFE: Norma; CHILDREN: Erik Tighe, Lynette Susan.

OLDS, GLENN A. Oregon-Idaho
 Oregon Conference; On trial, 1943; Full Membership, 1945; EDUCATION: Willamette University, 1942; Garrett Theological Seminary, 1945; Northwestern University, 1945; Yale University, 1948; APPOINTMENTS: Professor, Garrett Biblical Institute, 1948; Chaplain, Denver University, 1951; Cornell University, 1954; Springfield College, 1960; State University of New York, 1966; Dean of International Studies and World Affairs, Planting Fields, Oyster Bay, N.Y., 1968; United States Mission to the United Nations, 1969; Sabbatical, 1971; President, Kent State University, 1972; President, Alaska Methodist University, 1977; WIFE: Eva Belle; CHILDREN: Linda E. and G. Richard.

ROACH, REVELLE ELWOOD **Oregon-Idaho**
 Disciples Church, 1938; West Oklahoma; On trial, 1942; Pacific Northwest, E. 1949;
 EDUCATION: Phillips University; University of Washington; Perkins School of
 Theology; University of Puget Sound; APPOINTMENTS: Redmond, 1944; Waitsburg,
 1949; Manson, 1952; Oregon Conference, The Dalles, 1955; Alaska Mission, Homer,
 1958; Oregon-Idaho Conference, Toledo-Siletz, 1961; Dallas, 1968; Alaska
 Missionary Conference, Seward-Moose Pass, 1976; WIFE: Estelle, CHILDREN:
 Marvelene Lorraine, Patricia Evalyn, Gaynelle, Soon Ja, Thomas Lee, Paul Revelle.

ROBISON, ROGER D. **Yellowstone**
 Ohio Conference; On trial, 1943; Full Member, 1945; EDUCATION: Dartmouth
 College, 1942; Oberlin Graduate School of Theology, 1945; APPOINTMENTS: Ohio
 Conference, Weston, 1945; Montana Conference now Yellowstone, 1947; Corvallis,
 1951; Benton, 1961; Great Falls-Christ Church; District Superintendent, 1957; 61 and
 1966-72; Butte United Methodist Parish, co-pastor, 1972; Alaska Mission, Sitka, 1975;
 WIFE: Olive; CHILDREN: David, Helen, James, Thomas and Philip.

SHAFFER, JOHN JAY. **Central Illinois**
 Central Illinois Conference; On trial, 1960; D, 1960; E, 1962; EDUCATION: Illinois
 Wesleyan University, 1959; Garrett Evangelical Seminary, 1962; APPOINTMENTS:
 Central Illinois Conference, Wapella, 1958; Danville, St. James (Associate), 1959;
 Alaska Mission, Kenai, 1962; Chugiak, 1965; Juneau, 1969; Juneau-Douglas, 1970;
 Nome, 1974; Nome, Aywaan Bering Sea Larger Parish, 1976; WIFE: Barbara.

THOMPSON, ROGER WILLIAM **New York**
 Central New York Conference; On trial, 1946; Full Connection, 1948; D, 1946; E,
 1948; EDUCATION: Tusculum College, 1944; Drew University Theological Seminary,
 1948; APPOINTMENTS: At School (Woodbury, West Hill, L.I., 1946); Woodbury,
 West Hills, Cold Spring Harbor, L.I., 1948; New York East Conference, 1949;
 Albertson, 1949; Northport, 1957; Alaska Mission, Anchorage-First, 1961; New York
 Conference, Dobbs Ferry, 1967; Meriden, Connecticut, First, 1970; Alaska Mission,
 East Anchorage, (Oct. 7), 1974; East Anchorage-Hope, 1976; East Anchorage, 1977;
 WIFE: Mary Lucile; CHILDREN: Melinda Lucile, Roger William, Jr., Mary Ann, James
 Corbett, John Mark.

TINDELL, JOHN RAYMOND **Florida**
 Florida Conference; On trial, 1959; D, 1959; E, 1963; EDUCATION: Florida Southern
 College, 1958; Candler School of Theology, 1961; Student University of Edinburgh,
 1964; APPOINTMENTS: Florida Conference, Mirimar, 1961; Alaska Mission, Sitka,
 1965; East Anchorage, 1970; Juneau-Northern Light United Church, (Oct. 7), 1974;
 WIFE: Beryl; CHILDREN: Raymond Sidney, Cynthia Adair.

TRUDEAU, WILLIAM GEORGE **Detroit**
 Detroit Conference; On trial, 1965; D, 1965; E, 1969; EDUCATION: Adrian College,
 1964; Perkins School of Theology, 1968; APPOINTMENTS: Wesley Foundation, Ohio
 State University (Associate), 1967; Alaska Mission, Douglas, 1968; Nome Community
 Center, Inc., Director, 1970; Nome Church, Director of Community Center, 1973;
 Turnagain, 1974; WIFE: Danita; CHILDREN: David William.

VOSTRY, ROBERT MELVIN **Detroit**
 Detroit Conference; On trial, 1973; D, 1973; EDUCATION: Central Michigan University, Asbury Theological Seminary, 1977; APPOINTMENTS: Alaska Missionary Conference, Chaplain, Trans-Alaska Pipeline, 8/1/75; Worker-Priest, North Star, 1977.

WISCHMEIER, AC CHESTER **Pacific Northwest**
 North Indiana Conference; On trial, 1938; D, 1938; E, 1940; EDUCATION: University of Nebraska, 1933; Boston University School of Theology, 1937; Graduate School, Boston University School of Theology, 1940; APPOINTMENTS: Pacific Northwest Conference, Salmon Creek-East Vancouver, 1941; East Vancouver, 1942; Lewiston, Idaho, 1946; Kennewick, 1949; Seattle-Haller Lake, 1953; Superintendent Walla Walla District, 1959; Superintendent, Tacoma District 1961; Yakima-First, 1965; Bellingham, Garden Street, 1967; Alaska Mission Superintendent, 1969; WIFE: Irene; CHILDREN: Stephen, Suzanna, Don.

WISE, KEITH BURNELL **Southern New Jersey**
 East Pennsylvania Conference: (EUB) On trial, 1962; E, 1964; EDUCATION: Lebanon Valley College, 1961; United Theological Seminary, 1964; APPOINTMENTS: Student pastor, Bellegrove, Pa., 1960; Youth Director, Santa Clara Christian Church, Dayton, Ohio, 1961; Wiconisco-Loyalton, Pa., 1964; Clarksboro, N.J., 1968; Alaska Mission, Homer Parish, 1972; WIFE: Patricia; CHILDREN: Kathleen, Michael, Matthew, Kristin.

*Indicates special appointments in Alaska by another bishop.

DEACONESS RECORD:

RINGENBURG, PRISCILLA **West Ohio**
 Commissioned Deaconess, West Ohio Conference, 1975; APPOINTMENTS: Methodist Hospital, Jacksonville, Florida, 1975; Maynard McDougall Memorial Hospital, Nome, September, 1976; Norton Sound Regional Hospital, Nome, 1977.

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ANCHORAGE AREA:																													ANCHOR
Anchor Park <i>Robert D. Bowers</i>	5880	7600	1700	13772		470	13876	13876	2500	2500	1200	2296	2296	883	883	1412	1412	1165	269	61	91	136	2223	138	106	550	554	56882	Anchor P
Chugiak <i>L. Eugene Groves</i>	4073	3057	531	4703		150	3757	3757	1700	1700	1200	697	697	268	268	429	429		61			35			71			20732	Chugiak
East Anchorage <i>Roger W. Thompson</i>	10512	247	2049	16231	32	1022	9904	9904	1700	1700	1140	1954	1954	751	751	1202	1202	517	470	114		80	185		240		158	48508	East Anc
Anchorage: First <i>Bruce A. Bartel</i>	11440	6398	2006	34208	321	1400	14640	13838	1800	1800	1500	4073	4073	1566	1566	2503	2503		273	173			600	26				82125	Anchorag
Girdwood <i>Bruce A. Bartel</i>				384			52	55	915	915		60	60	23	23	37	37		133									1607	Girdwood
<i>Donald L. Hartman</i>																													
*Jewel Lake <i>Donald L. Hartman</i>	319	4197	226	2781	115		4702	4702	800	800	447	465	465	179	179	286	286		44									14561	*Jewel L
St. John <i>David K. Fison</i>	2374	34826	1628	10694	175	210	7696	7696	360	360	1284	1255	1255	482	482	772	772	546	224	137	11	143	917	19		83	125	63961	St. John
Turnagain <i>William G. Trudeau</i>	7294	2537	1445	19254	260		13749	13749	1760	1769	911	2066	2066	794	794	1271	1271	563			103				84	35		52126	Turnagai
FAIRBANKS:																													FAIRBAN
Fairbanks: First <i>Richard R. Smith</i>	16485		4241	36918	6927	2009	16600	16600	1760	2260	2268	3646	3646	1401	1401	2240	2240	4673	3082	200	200	200	1450	200	1000		3400	109400	Fairbanks
KENAI PENINSULA:																													KENAI PE
Homer <i>Keith B. Wise</i>		2142	1481	5385	375	123	2590	2590	500	500	1730	631	631	243	243	388	388		230	85								15903	Homer
Ninilchik <i>Keith B. Wise</i>			120	2098	200		1510	1510	350	350	100	227	227	87	87	139	139		51	103								4985	Ninilchik
Seldovia <i>Keith B. Wise</i>			222	600			370	370	225	225		68	68	26	26	42	42					1						1554	Seldovia
Kenai <i>Arthur P. Knight</i>	4570	2670	1526	6110	660	456	10742	10742	1650	1650	949	1361	1361	523	523	837	837		70	38			31					32193	Kenai
North Star <i>August A. Aamodt</i>				2665			1462	1462	900	900	800	364	364	140	140	224	224											6555	North Sta
Soldotna <i>August A. Aamodt</i>	815	2976	1092	4665		1227	1806	1806	802	802	1200	601	601	231	231	370	370							25				15810	Soldotna
Seward <i>Revelle E. Roach</i>			158	3429	433	200	4323	4323	1200	1200	1732	839	839	323	323	516	516	171		59		6		14				13403	Seward
Moose Pass <i>Revelle E. Roach</i>				549			557	557	400	400		115	115	44	44	71	71											1736	Moose P
NOME:																													NOME:
Nome Community <i>John J. Shaffer</i>			672	13734	1842	796	3990	3990	300	300		1091	1091	419	419	671	671		117	53		35	100	43				23863	Nome Co
SOUTHEAST:																													SOUTHE
Douglas <i>Robert H. McNabb</i>	2413	405	767	6789		203	10500	10500	1600	1600	2000	880	880	338	338	541	541	227	30	66				26	37		385	27207	Douglas
*Juneau-Northern Lights <i>John R. Tindell</i>	3000	1250	1012	18005	3606	675	8006	8006	900	900	2700	1484	1484	570	570	913	913	1466	90								100	43777	*Juneau-
Ketchikan <i>Max W. Cramer</i>	711		1283	12141	1488	270	13604	13342	1200	1200	1770	2192	2192	843	843	1348	1348	301	135	65				49	10			37148	Ketchika
Sitka <i>Roger D. Robison</i>	171		272	2059	95		4011	4011	1500	1500	1181	970	970	373	373	597	597		71	16								11316	Sitka
TOTALS:	70057	68205	22421	217174	16520	9211	148447	147286	24822	25222	24112	27225	27225	10507	10507	16900	16900	9620	5250	1170	405	625	5507	540	1548	668	4722	685352	TOTALS